

during the next twenty-four hours, and was nearly general in Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, the east of Central India and the central and east Punjab, and was local in Rajputana and the east of the Central Provinces, but by the morning of the 7th the barometer had risen briskly to very rapidly over the whole of northern India west of Chota Nagpur, and the depression had practically disappeared, while skies were clearing everywhere.

*Burma.*—Skies were almost clear, except in the northern districts, where Myitkyina and Bhamo had light rain on the 2nd. Night temperature was in moderate excess on that day, but during the remainder of the week temperature conditions were practically normal.

*North-east India and Orissa.*—Rain fell over the greater part of the division on the 1st and 2nd, and again in Bihar and Chota Nagpur on the 5th, 6th and 7th. Skies were cloudy, and temperature was normal during the greater part of the week.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.*—During the latter half of the week rain was received over the whole division, except in the west of Central India and of the Central Provinces. Skies were cloudy. The cold wave caused a rapid fall of temperature, and on the 2nd temperature was in defect everywhere, but it then rose and was normal or in excess until the 7th, when a moderate defect was shown in the north-west of the United Provinces.

*North-west India.*—Precipitation commenced on the 4th, and during the period from the 4th to the 7th it occurred in all parts of the division, except the south-west Punjab. Skies were cloudy during the greater part of the week. After the effects of the cold wave had disappeared on the 2nd temperature conditions in north-west India were largely determined by rainfall and cloud. Maximum temperature was in consequence more or less in defect and the minimum more or less in excess until the end of the week, when both were in defect over nearly the whole division.

*The Peninsula.*—Bombay reported a light fall of rain on the 6th. Skies were clear or only lightly clouded, and temperature was nearly normal, except on the 1st and 2nd in the north-western districts, where a rapid fall of temperature, due probably to the cold wave in northern India, caused a considerable defect in both the maximum and the minimum temperatures.

The rainfall of the past week has made an important change in the divisional percentages of departure from normal of the seasonal rainfall which is now normal or in excess in all parts of the Indian region, except on the Burma Coast, in the sub-divisions of Dinajpur, Calcutta and Ahmedabad, and in the west Satpuras and Baluchistan. The deficiency is most marked in Baluchistan, where during the period from the 30th November to the 7th February only 0.62" of rain has fallen as compared with the normal fall of 3.26". The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week, as reported at 8 h., each day:

February 1st, Dibrugarh 0.86", Burdwan 0.86", Ranchi 0.99", Hazaribagh 1.02" and Balasore 0.75".  
 " 2nd, Gauhati 1.05" and Dhubri 1.50".  
 " 3rd, Chanda 1.70".  
 " 4th, Hyderabad (Sind) 0.58" and Kurrachee 0.27".  
 " 5th, Satna 1.34", Murree 1.80", Sonemarg 2.82" and Rajkot 0.60".  
 " 6th, Gaya 1.05", Nagpur 0.48", Jhansi 0.56", Jubbulpore 1.26" and Cawnpore 1.04".  
 " 7th, Hazaribagh 1.16", Patna 1.16", Benares 1.88", Roorkee 1.38", Dehra Dun 1.49", Chakrata 2.37", Meerut 1.23", Agra 0.94", Pendra 1.27", Ludhiana 2.01", Simla 1.07" and Sirsa 0.43".

RAINFALL DIVISION WITH REPRESENTATIVE STATION.	Rainfall sub-division named after representative station.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 7TH FEBRUARY 1907.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 30TH NOVEMBER 1906 TO 7TH FEBRUARY 1907.			SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
		Average actual rainfall.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1(a). Bay Islands	Port Blair	Inches. 0	Inches. 0'13	Inches. —0'13	Inches. 7'48	Inches. 8'24	Inches. —0'76	— 9	— 8
1. Burma Coast (Rangoon).	...	0'07	0'11	—0'04	0'36	0'74	—0'38	— 51	— 54
2. Burma Wet (Bhamo)	...	0'05	0'04	+0'01	1'08	0'69	+0'39	+ 57	+ 58
3. Burma Dry (Mandalay).	...	0	0	0	0'42	0'44	—0'02	— 5	— 5
4. Delta of Bengal	Narayanganj	0'26	0'16	+0'10	1'62	1'11	+0'51	+ 46	+ 43
5. Brahmaputra Valley (Sibhargar).	Calcutta	0'31	0'13	+0'18	0'31	0'69	—0'38	— 55	—100
	...	0'89	0'26	+0'63	2'28	1'50	+0'78	+ 52	+ 12
6. Himalayan and Sub-Himalayan, East.	Dinajpur	0'37	0'16	+0'21	0'44	0'82	—0'38	— 46	— 89
	Darbhanga	1'01	0'13	+0'88	1'11	0'94	+0'17	+ 18	— 88
	Bahraich	1'15	0'28	+0'87	1'53	1'61	—0'08	— 5	— 71
7. Indo-Gangetic Plain, East.	Burdwan	0'91	0'06	+0'85	0'91	0'46	+0'45	+ 98	—100
	Patna	3'67	0'09	+3'58	3'74	0'86	+2'88	+338	— 91
8. Himalayan and Sub-Himalayan, West.	Simla	2'70	0'90	+1'80	6'71	5'44	+1'27	+ 23	— 12
9. Indo-Gangetic Plain, West.	Ludhiana	1'84	0'38	+1'46	4'65	3'23	+1'42	+ 44	— 1
	Cawnpore	1'33	0'15	+1'18	1'76	1'31	+0'45	+ 34	— 63
10. N.W. Dry Area (Bikaner).	Lahore	0'74	0'20	+0'54	1'87	1'85	+0'02	+ 1	— 32
11. Baluchistan (Quetta)	...	0'31	0'20	+0'11	1'30	1'26	+0'04	+ 3	— 7
	...	0'09	0'67	—0'58	0'62	3'26	—2'64	— 81	— 80
12. East Coast, North	Waltair	0	0'02	—0'02	4'71	1'25	+3'46	+277	+283
	Cuttack	0'47	0'06	+0'41	0'67	0'74	—0'07	— 9	— 71
13. East Satpuras	Ranchi	1'55	0'07	+1'48	1'73	0'54	+1'19	+220	— 62
	Raipur	0'89	0'03	+0'86	1'33	0'60	+0'73	+122	— 23
	Jubbulpore	1'69	0'09	+1'60	1'64	1'12	+0'52	+ 46	— 47
14. Central Plateau, India	Jhansi	1'02	0'09	+0'93	1'34	1'31	+0'03	+ 3	— 74
	Jalpur	0'41	0'03	+0'38	0'90	0'77	+0'13	+ 17	— 34
	Indore	0'29	0'04	+0'25	0'42	0'49	—0'07	— 14	— 71
15. West Coast	Calicut	0'19	0'13	+0'06	3'61	3'10	+0'51	+ 16	+ 15
	Bombay	0'05	0	+0'05	0'60	0'16	+0'44	+275	+244
16. Gujarat	Ahmedabad	0'02	0'02	0	0'06	0'11	—0'05	— 45	— 56
	Rajkot	0'43	0'04	+0'39	0'45	0'17	+0'28	+165	— 85
17. West Satpuras (Akole).	...	0'15	0'02	+0'13	0'55	0'82	—0'27	— 33	— 50
18. Deccan	Bellary	0	0	0	3'37	0'61	+2'66	+436	+436
	Bijapur	0	0'04	—0'04	1'27	0'32	+0'95	+297	+354
	Hyderabad	0	0'01	—0'01	1'77	0'11	+1'66	+1509	+1670
19. South India	Mysore	0	0	0	2'15	0'35	+1'80	+514	+514
	Madura	0	0'09	—0'09	4'04	2'76	+1'28	+ 46	+ 51
20. East Coast, South (Madras).	...	0'03	0'19	—0'16	16'24	11'40	+4'84	+ 42	+ 45

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### Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 2nd February 1907.

**Burma.**—Katha received one and three quarter inches of rain, Bhamo one and a quarter inches, and amounts varying from 72 cents to 23 cents fell in Myitkyina, Upper Chindwin, the Chin Hills and the Northern Shan States. Reaping of wet weather paddy is practically completed and threshing and winnowing are in progress generally and have been completed in Tharrawaddy and Prome. Sowing of dry weather paddy is completed in Tavoy and sowing of early wet weather paddy in nurseries has commenced in the Southern Shan States. Harvesting of peas and beans has started in Mandalay. Transplanting of tobacco is nearing completion in Sagaing and has commenced in Myitkyina. Reaping of jowar and sesamum is completed in the Yinnabin sub-division of Lower Chindwin. The standing crops are generally in good condition. The price of paddy has risen largely in Henzada and Thayetmyo and slightly in eight districts and in the Southern Shan States; it has fallen slightly in Toungoo and Myingyan.

**Eastern Bengal and Assam.**—Moderate rain has fallen in the Assam Valley and slight rain in all other districts except the Chittagong Hill Tracts, Dinajpur, Bogra, and Malda. The recent rain has benefited the standing crops but more rain is wanted in most districts. Pruning and hoeing of tea are in progress. Harvesting of winter rice and gathering of pulses are nearly finished. Preparation of land for early rice and jute is in progress. Plucking of cotton; pressing of sugarcane; gathering of mustard; and transplantation of summer rice are in progress. Prospects of cotton are unfavourable in the Garo Hills and the Khasi and Jaintia Hills and fair in Nowgong. The outturn of winter rice and the prospects of other standing crops are moderate. Prices of common rice:—Manipur 16; Silchar 9 to 9½; Comilla 9½; Rangamati, Kohima, and Sibsagar 9; Faridpur 6½ to 9; Dacca and Chittagong 8½; Barisal 8½; Mymensingh and Gauhati 8; Pabna 7½; Dinajpur 7½; Bogra 7½; Rampur Boalia and Dibrugarh 7½; Jalpaiguri 7½; Noakhali, Malda, Sylhet, Dhubri, Tezpur, and Nowgong 7; Tura 6 to 7; Rangpur 6½; and Shillong and Aizal 6 seers per rupee. Prices have risen in eight; fallen in nine; and remained stationary in the remaining districts. Six hundred and twenty-four persons received gratuitous relief in Sylhet.

**Bengal.**—Rainfall was moderate and fairly general in Lower Bengal and Chota Nagpur. Some light scattered showers fell also in parts of Bihar and Orissa. More rain is needed for the spring crops in Murshidabad, Jessore, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea and Hazaribagh. Sugarcane pressing continues. The prospects of the spring crops are fair except in Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—Muzaffarpur 575 and Darbhanga 16,350. The average attendance on test-works in Champaran for the week ending the 29th January is 608 and in Darbhanga on the last day available 2,036. The number on famine-relief works in Darbhanga is 61,086. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in eleven and fallen in ten districts.

**United Provinces.**—The weather has been generally cloudy and slight showers of rain have been received in a few districts. The spring crops are being irrigated and weeded and are doing well. Prospects are good. Poppy is in flower. Ploughings for extra crops and sugarcane continue. The standing crops have been slightly damaged by rain in parts of Benares and Jaunpur and by frost in parts of Aligarh, Agra, and Shahjahanpur. Cattle are healthy except in Garhwal. Markets are amply stocked. Fodder is dear in Hardoi, Sitapur, and Kheri and scarce in Rae Bareilly and Ballia. Prices show a downward tendency.

The weekly report on the scarcity is as follows:—The weather is overcast in Gorakhpur but no rain has fallen. Slight damage to crops from rust and slight frost is reported from places in the Gorakhpur and Pandrauna tehsils. The spring crops are fair. Markets are well stocked but fodder is scarce. Prices are tending to fall. The numbers on relief are:—on works 204, on gratuitous relief 2,384, in poor-houses 373, total 2,961.

**Punjab.**—Moderate to light rain has fallen in all districts except Rohtak, Delhi, Ferozepore, and Multan. There are slight fluctuations in the prices of food grains; wheat is rising in Rawalpindi and falling in Ambala, Jullundur and Lyallpur. Ploughings and sowings of extra spring crops are in progress in Gurgaon, Ambala, Lahore, Sialkot, Shahpur Mianwali and Multan. Sugarcane sowing has commenced in Ambala. The condition,



and prospects of the standing crops are generally good. Rain is urgently wanted for unirrigated crops in Hissar, Rohtak, and Ambala. Locusts have damaged the standing spring crops to some extent in parts of Shahpur, Lyallpur, and Multan. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder is sufficient. There are no complaints regarding the water supply.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—Rain varying from 2 cents in Dera Ismail Khan to one inch in Hazara and Peshawar fell all over the Province. The standing crops are in excellent condition but more rain is wanted in Dera Ismail Khan. Locusts appeared in parts of Dera Ismail Khan and in the Marwat tehsil of Bannu district, in the former slight damage was done to the crops. Pressing of sugarcane still goes on and the outturn is good. The water-supply is ample. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition except in Dera Ismail Khan. Prices are steady or falling slightly. Prices:—wheat 15½ to 20; gram 17½ to 23; maize 20 to 29½; and bajra 20 to 22½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—There was good rain during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Prices:—wheat 11 to 24 and maize 11 to 36 seers per rupee. The condition of the standing crops is good. Fodder is sufficient except in the Kishtwar tehsil.

**Kashmir.**—Moderate snow fell during the last two days of the week and skies are overcast. Prices are almost stationary.

**Rajputana.**—Agricultural operations and prospects are generally satisfactory. Prices are falling in Partabgarh and Kotah and are nearly steady elsewhere, though still high in places.

**Central India.**—No rain. Autumn harvesting; cotton picking; and irrigation of spring crops are in progress. The standing crops and the probable outturn are good. Crops have been slightly damaged by rats in parts of Bhopawar. Agricultural stock and pasturage are generally good except in parts of Indore and Rewa. Prices are high in Baghelkhand and in parts of Malwa and stationary elsewhere. Opium is good in Bhopal and Bhopawar; weeding and watering are in progress elsewhere.

**Central Provinces.**—Rain was received in ten districts during the week, ranging from 4 cents in Amraoti to 1½ inch in Chanda; Jubbulpore and Narsinghpur each received an inch and Damoh ½ inch, but falls elsewhere were light. The rain was accompanied by hail in Chanda and Damoh. Threshing and winnowing of autumn crops are almost completed. The standing spring crops are in good condition. Slight damage was done by frost in parts of Narsinghpur; by insect pests in Hoshangabad and Bhandara; by cloudy weather in Balaghat, Chanda, Drug and Raipur; and by rats in parts of Akola and Buldana. Prospects are generally good and fodder and water are sufficient everywhere. The prices per rupee of wheat and rice have risen in Mandla and Balaghat by one seer and of gram in Akola by 1½ seer; *juar* has become cheaper in Saugor and Damoh and dearer in Amraoti; wheat dropped from 8½ to 11½ seers per rupee in Chanda; prices are equal to the scarcity level in Amraoti and exceed it in Chanda, Balaghat, and Bilaspur.

**Native States.**—The weather is cool but occasionally cloudy. Threshing of rice and *kodon* (millet) and sugarcane pressing are in full swing and harvesting of linseed and gram continues in Chhuikhadan and Rajnandgaon. Spring crops are in good condition and prospects are favourable. Fodder and water are adequate. Prices:—wheat 10 to 20; rice 12 to 16; and *kodon* (millet) 18 to 21 seers per rupee.

**Bombay.**—There was slight rain during week in parts of Larkana, Palanpur, and Cutch. The standing crops have been slightly damaged by insects in parts of Karachi; by locusts in parts of Karachi and Ahmedabad; by blight in parts of Dharwar; by frost in parts of Mahi Kantha; are withering in parts of Deccan and Bijapur; and are generally in good condition elsewhere. Threshing of autumn crops is in progress and harvesting of spring crops has commenced in parts of the Deccan. Cotton picking continues in Hyderabad, Gujarat, Poona, Karnatak, Kathiawar, Bijapur and Cutch. The fodder supply is sufficient. The quantity of food grains purchasable per rupee is in the Deccan 10 per cent. above normal to 34 per cent. less than normal and elsewhere normal to 24 per cent. below.

**Hyderabad.**—No rain. Spring crops are fair to good. The harvest has commenced generally. Late rice sowing continues in parts and the crop is in fair condition. Prices:—wheat 7½; coarse rice 7½; and jowar 15½ seers per rupee.

**Mysore.**—Prices of food grains have slightly fallen in Mysore and Shimoga and are steady elsewhere. Ploughing and sowing operations are in progress. The prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—Picking of coffee and threshing of rice continue. Prices of food grains are stationary. Water and fodder are sufficient.

**Madras.**—No rain. Irrigation supplies are sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Bellary, Anantapur, South Arcot, North Arcot, Salem, and Madura. Ploughing, sowing, weeding, and transplanting are in progress in parts. The standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of Godavari have been damaged and some in parts of Madura are withering. Harvests continue with outturn poor to normal and bumper. Pasture is sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Kistna, Bellary, and South Canara. Fodder is scanty in parts of Kistna, Salem, and Madura. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in six districts; has fallen in twelve; and has slightly risen in five. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*ragi* is stationary in seven districts; has fallen in seven; and has slightly risen in seven. *Cholam* is stationary in four districts; has fallen in five; and has slightly risen in five. *Cumbu* is stationary in five districts; has fallen in five; and has slightly risen in five.

The number of persons in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks in each Province is shown in the following table:—

Name of Province.	PRECEDING WEEK. (REVISED FIGURES.)			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>BRITISH PROVINCES.</b>							
Eastern Bengal and Assam	...	317	317	...	624	624	+ 307
Bengal	66,150	18,131	84,281	63,730	16,925	80,655	—3,626
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	358	2,583	2,941	204	2,757	2,961	+ 20
<b>TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES</b>	<b>66,508</b>	<b>21,031</b>	<b>87,539</b>	<b>63,934</b>	<b>20,306</b>	<b>84,240</b>	<b>—3,299</b>

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IMPORTS OF COTTON, WHEAT, LINSEED, INDIGO, JUTE, TEA, AND RICE

QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of COTTON imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in November 1906, and from 1st January to 30th November 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Whence exported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			TOTAL		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
Imports in November												
By Rail and River—												
E. B. and Assam <sup>a</sup>	—	—	80	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	80
Bengal	1,113	858	695	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	695
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	37,550	87,000	81,300	151,504	210,348	181,077	—	—	—	1,313	858	695
Punjab	12,322	7,688	3,975	75,057	44,186	60,671	14	1,768	1,322	191,168	309,100	262,704
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	—	—	—	—	—	—	100,831	89,979	18,070	189,104	72,153	82,916
Raj. & C. India	—	680	277	9,153	7,094	14,075	30,046	13,090	28,223	39,046	13,090	28,223
Bombay	—	—	—	92,002	83,003	104,572	164	—	—	92,166	86,74	14,152
Coat. Provs. and Berar	4,423	15,473	7,402	908,630	133,588	112,740	—	—	—	22,002	89,405	104,572
Nizam's Territory	—	—	—	9,091	11,057	13,381	—	—	—	212,053	149,067	100,013
Madras	—	4	—	17	—	5,695	—	—	—	908	11,057	12,391
Mysore	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	—	—
TOTAL	55,408	112,909	94,637	479,347	401,076	402,191	140,955	34,831	47,815	675,310	639,806	634,443
By Sea—												
E. B. and Assam	—	—	808	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	808
Bengal	95	1,012	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	95	1,012	—
Bombay	288	1,178	8,916	691	—	144	1,168	—	908	1,441	1,178	—
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	—	—	—	43,383	3,491	1,191	—	—	—	43,383	3,491	1,191
Madras	540	344	—	1,271	317	538	—	—	—	1,800	681	1,191
Burma	732	680	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	732	680	—
Nor-Br. Ports in India	—	—	—	2,331	10,258	34,416	—	—	—	2,331	10,258	34,416
Foreign countries	—	—	4	17,218	7,580	7,002	—	12	—	17,233	7,394	7,394
TOTAL	1,670	3,160	10,307	65,788	21,640	33,851	1,168	12	908	66,630	24,821	45,156
TOTAL IMPORTS	57,078	116,069	105,034	545,135	512,616	526,042	142,127	34,843	48,723	741,940	664,627	679,599
Imports to end of November												
By Rail and River—												
E. B. and Assam <sup>a</sup>	—	—	61,972	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	61,972
Bengal	24,033	13,358	40,077	—	—	—	—	—	—	24,033	13,358	40,077
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	75,244	48,046	40,077	—	—	—	—	—	—	75,244	48,046	40,077
Punjab	108,607	201,222	301,174	305,087	646,553	461,140	1,130	1,028	1,323	474,824	1,030,703	705,645
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	46,753	97,075	79,218	191,068	337,526	200,574	579,688	382,896	193,866	818,883	1,017,450	461,758
Raj. & C. India	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bombay	19,487	23,433	4,008	279,896	619,865	350,419	265,306	206,184	235,605	285,306	295,184	338,606
Coat. Provs. and Berar	12	902	4	4,396,373	2,483,032	8,529,729	27,730	13,009	4,365	3,054,22	695,187	376,680
Nizam's Territory	87,163	210,084	183,110	2,138,557	3,007,079	8,413,868	—	—	—	2,138,557	3,007,079	8,413,868
Madras	—	—	—	201,630	326,304	351,278	—	—	—	201,630	326,304	351,278
Mysore	—	—	—	21,939	18,332	68,711	—	—	—	21,939	18,332	68,711
TOTAL	331,339	792,804	676,230	5,734,065	7,442,118	6,335,718	893,093	892,098	537,460	6,076,247	9,130,080	7,380,438
By Sea—												
E. B. and Assam	—	—	30,314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30,314
Bengal	50,060	38,150	42,079	—	—	—	—	—	—	50,060	38,150	42,079
Bombay	14,691	12,538	36,328	18,701	15,343	11,458	3,201	1,983	4,303	36,613	28,806	54,170
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	—	—	—	135,261	242,674	85,013	—	—	—	135,261	242,674	85,013
Madras	80,273	10,402	7,712	27,005	7,081	80,804	—	—	—	80,273	10,402	7,712
Burma	33,984	23,200	16,930	1,818	7,393	3,015	—	—	—	33,984	23,200	16,930
Nor-Br. Ports in India	—	—	—	1,084,249	249,000	749,604	—	—	—	1,084,249	249,000	749,604
Foreign countries	3,206	1,096	2,416	72,235	230,715	89,194	420	63	6	1,096,253	540,970	749,604
TOTAL	131,087	94,675	138,690	1,269,498	1,068,727	986,813	3,435	1,970	4,420	1,304,030	1,150,440	1,100,241
TOTAL IMPORTS	462,426	887,479	814,920	7,003,563	8,510,845	7,322,531	896,528	894,068	541,880	7,380,277	10,280,520	8,480,679

<sup>a</sup> Figures previous to April 1906 relate only to Assam



QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of WHEAT imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in November 1906, and from 1st January to 30th November 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Whence exported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			TOTAL		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
<b>Imports in November</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	153,264	186,397	...
Bengal	153,264	186,397	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,179,281	145,024	128,174
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	639,098	139,535	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,435,368	939,870	1,184,720
Punjab	...	8,289	103,666	215,059	106,061	...	90,336	1,355,863	825,520	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	165,118	120,497	99,187	165,118	120,497
Raj. & C. India	...	7,291	...	14,745	2,580	5,683	...	...	...	1,030	1,747	9,187
Bombay	...	...	...	73,538	32,223	5,247	...	...	...	...	78,838	32,223
Cent. Prov. and Berar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123,728	295,781	73,485
Nizam's Territory	3,660	41,880	87,690	120,058	234,901	37,063	...	...	...	9,165	16,648	...
Madras	...	...	...	9,165	16,648	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	...	...	1,159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>796,022</b>	<b>383,392</b>	<b>333,170</b>	<b>577,093</b>	<b>411,498</b>	<b>141,375</b>	<b>1,786,094</b>	<b>943,321</b>	<b>1,030,951</b>	<b>3,153,269</b>	<b>1,746,211</b>	<b>1,591,819</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	24,944	109,359	110,193	...	...	...	24,944	106,359	110,193
Madras	...	337	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	2,535	1,288	...	...	...	...	2,535	1,288	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	1,530	976	655	...	...	...	1,530	976	...
Foreign countries	...	...	...	...	...	6,131	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>29,009</b>	<b>108,624</b>	<b>116,833</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>29,009</b>	<b>108,624</b>	<b>116,833</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>796,022</b>	<b>383,729</b>	<b>333,170</b>	<b>606,102</b>	<b>520,122</b>	<b>258,208</b>	<b>1,786,094</b>	<b>943,321</b>	<b>1,030,974</b>	<b>3,182,278</b>	<b>1,854,835</b>	<b>1,708,652</b>
<b>Imports to end of November</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	1,476,696	1,476,694	103,933	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,476,744	1,471,005	...
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	2,442,150	2,621,959	1,699,866	2,470,875	579,033	74,325	2,596,606	779,836	14,050	14,509,531	3,982,828	1,788,174
Punjab	4,214	286,212	610,806	507,090	1,081,916	647,122	2,035,636	14,924,967	12,287,352	20,609,940	16,793,093	13,581,174
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. & C. India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	9,055	24,820	8,431	280,764	95,872	34,032	2,120,778	1,553,189	1,589,996	2,120,780	1,563,201	1,589,996
Cent. Prov. and Berar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	16,886	904,259	283,026	2,536,481	2,338,927	471,232	...	...	...	2,536,481	2,338,927	471,232
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,049,520</b>	<b>5,310,463</b>	<b>2,776,787</b>	<b>6,360,544</b>	<b>5,598,600</b>	<b>1,340,180</b>	<b>24,760,800</b>	<b>17,268,222</b>	<b>13,896,501</b>	<b>42,270,024</b>	<b>28,177,285</b>	<b>18,170,174</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	77	31	213,069	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>213,069</b>	<b>706,106</b>	<b>727,079</b>	<b>1,441,254</b>	<b>17,672</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>1,733</b>	<b>723,855</b>	<b>729,207</b>	<b>1,441,254</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>10,049,597</b>	<b>5,311,208</b>	<b>2,990,286</b>	<b>7,066,650</b>	<b>6,325,679</b>	<b>2,781,434</b>	<b>24,778,532</b>	<b>17,268,705</b>	<b>13,898,236</b>	<b>43,094,779</b>	<b>28,906,492</b>	<b>19,611,428</b>

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QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of LINSEED imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in November 1906, and from 1st January to 30th November 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Where exported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			TOTAL		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
Imports in November												
By Rail and River—												
B. B. & Assam	245	—	134	—	—	—	—	—	—	245	—	134
Bengal	263,910	97,573	142,181	—	—	—	—	—	—	263,910	97,573	142,181
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	104,000	29,176	45,384	10,722	—	—	—	—	—	114,722	29,176	45,384
Panjab	—	473	—	157	4,343	908	—	—	—	1,537	4,816	1,461
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	—	—	—	—	3	—	908	14	10	1,829	24	24
Raj. & C. India	—	591	1,042	31,895	4,185	9,819	—	—	—	33,525	5,605	10,885
Bombay	—	—	—	25,995	34,111	41,138	—	—	—	51,104	69,222	82,276
Cent. Provs. and Berar	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nizam's Territory	1,167	2,504	11,062	26,687	37,653	18,481	—	—	—	45,354	40,237	39,563
Madras	—	—	—	25,153	8,520	41,016	—	—	—	33,673	8,520	41,016
Mysore	—	—	—	310	666	2,095	—	—	—	3,071	666	2,095
TOTAL	368,231	130	201,783	120,910	79,453	115,411	908	14	10	491,440	209,854	317,144
By Sea—												
B. B. & Assam	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bengal	—	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	48	—
Bombay	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Madras	—	—	—	—	1,451	100	—	—	—	1,551	1,451	100
Nizam's Territory	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign countries	—	—	—	471	480	4,830	—	—	—	5,781	480	4,830
TOTAL	—	48	—	1,811	2,073	5,466	—	—	—	7,336	2,073	5,466
TOTAL IMPORTS	368,231	130	201,783	122,721	81,526	120,877	908	14	10	498,776	211,927	322,610
Imports to end of November												
By Rail and River—												
B. B. & Assam	85,287	31,031	40,040	—	—	—	—	—	—	85,287	31,031	40,040
Bengal	4,107,089	1,656,306	1,034,373	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,107,089	1,656,306	1,034,373
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	2,081,540	398,434	618,500	638,215	86,625	3,335	—	—	—	2,719,974	484,959	641,848
Panjab	—	473	—	1,037	1,344	37,644	8,459	—	—	10,414	39,467	39,088
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	—	—	—	—	—	4,135	15,687	1,035	1,821	17,724	13,543	6,480
Raj. & C. India	32,642	82,338	21,801	813,116	212,443	124,396	—	—	—	1,148,361	317,587	258,235
Bombay	—	—	—	719,316	808,815	303,318	135	—	—	1,528,274	1,618,149	841,671
Cent. Provs. and Berar	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nizam's Territory	25,280	243,434	91,766	760,301	681,179	301,308	—	—	—	1,668,468	1,126,527	903,374
Madras	—	—	—	1,195,972	1,123,230	755,182	—	—	—	2,074,384	2,248,462	1,510,364
Mysore	40	459	—	48,592	17,107	31,304	—	—	—	66,951	17,566	31,304
TOTAL	6,338,982	2,412,799	2,436,604	4,184,751	2,680,349	1,832,952	24,281	12,901	1,831	10,546,019	5,406,149	4,621,747
By Sea—												
B. B. & Assam	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bengal	319	3,805	304	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,428	3,805	304
Bombay	—	14,510	—	903	113	—	—	—	—	15,423	14,623	—
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Madras	—	5,195	70	24,496	13,004	1,701	—	—	—	29,296	13,004	1,701
Nizam's Territory	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign countries	—	44	—	56,787	21,421	42,715	—	—	—	78,922	21,421	42,715
TOTAL	319	23,454	374	75,405	40,433	49,853	15	13	—	112,640	38,230	45,415
TOTAL IMPORTS	6,339,301	2,436,253	2,436,978	4,260,156	2,720,782	1,882,805	24,296	12,914	1,831	10,658,659	5,444,379	4,667,162

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QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of **INDIGO** imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in November 1906, and from 1st January to 30th November 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Where imported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			TOTAL		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
<b>Imports in November</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. & Assam <sup>a</sup>	1,842	648	736	1	3	7	151	591	462	1,843	648	736
Bengal	184	43	32		3					184	43	32
U. P. of Agra & Oudh												
Punjab							86	68	86	86	68	86
Sind and Bt. Baluchistan				9	23	7				9	23	7
Raj. & C. India												
Bombay												
Cent. Prov. and Berar				113	143	138				113	143	138
Nizam's Territory				317	87	381				317	87	381
Madras												
Mysore												
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,026</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>2,703</b>	<b>1,540</b>	<b>1,863</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. and Assam												
Bengal												
Bombay												
Sind and Bt. Baluchistan				333	418	983				333	418	983
Madras												
Burma						1						1
Non-Bt. Ports in India				53	72	126		20		53	92	126
Foreign countries												
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>1,050</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>1,090</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>2,026</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>826</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>1,587</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>3,089</b>	<b>2,050</b>	<b>2,953</b>
<b>Imports to end of November</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. & Assam <sup>a</sup>	11,405	8,161	7,362	15	40	6				11,420	8,201	7,368
Bengal	1,717	1,618	1,522	16	14	14	3,172	3,811	3,200	4,733	4,839	4,374
U. P. of Agra & Oudh		47		1	12					1,717	1,669	1,536
Punjab							1,821	1,052	1,543	1,821	1,052	1,543
Sind and Bt. Baluchistan				7	19					7	19	
Raj. & C. India				12	97	34				12	97	34
Bombay												
Cent. Prov. and Berar				4	1	1				4	1	1
Nizam's Territory	2			332	511	650				332	511	650
Madras				1,800	1,023	678				1,800	1,023	678
Mysore												
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13,124</b>	<b>10,026</b>	<b>8,884</b>	<b>2,206</b>	<b>1,727</b>	<b>1,402</b>	<b>4,994</b>	<b>4,863</b>	<b>4,743</b>	<b>20,384</b>	<b>16,616</b>	<b>14,892</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. and Assam												
Bengal	10	76		155	271	66				165	347	132
Bombay							5	18	1	5	18	1
Sind and Bt. Baluchistan				2,806	2,511	2,480				2,806	2,511	2,480
Madras												
Burma												
Non-Bt. Ports in India	1			9	664	895				10	1,493	1,493
Foreign countries		635		406				276	20	406		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>3,376</b>	<b>3,746</b>	<b>4,441</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3,392</b>	<b>4,071</b>	<b>3,974</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>13,135</b>	<b>10,737</b>	<b>8,884</b>	<b>5,582</b>	<b>5,473</b>	<b>5,843</b>	<b>4,999</b>	<b>5,057</b>	<b>4,764</b>	<b>23,776</b>	<b>21,287</b>	<b>18,866</b>

<sup>a</sup>Figures previous to April 1906 relate only to Assam.

QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of JUTE, TEA, and RICE imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, in November 1906, and from 1st January to 30th November 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Whence exported	JUTE			TEA			RICE		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
<b>Imports in November</b>									
<i>By Rail and River—</i>									
E. B. and Assam*	26,298	38,560	1,506,730	137,122	146,345	167,127	316	3	43
Bengal	9,540,280	7,788,895	1,955,730	61,594	61,274	22,401	473,801	722,809	301,153
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	5,501	1,593	4,030	30	149	9	535	2,195	0,305
Punjab	...	...	...	8	...	1	...	34	952
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	4	...	37	...	...	34	...	...	1
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,235	59	274
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	2,578,077	9,629,048	2,857,415	206,784	208,168	189,568	483,008	715,166	303,679
<i>By Sea—</i>									
E. B. and Assam	...	...	26,769	...	...	2,496	...	...	...
Bengal	...	73,025	10,003	696	1,815	...	...	29,296	2,510
Bombay	...	...	...	...	19	11	...	...	12
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,666
Madras	271	...	...	...	296	37	...	...	735
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,127	1,852	42,382
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	456	2,015
Foreign countries	14	...	...	113	321	82	306	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	285	73,025	36,771	769	1,833	2,626	2,522	31,606	51,790
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	2,578,362	9,702,073	2,894,186	207,553	210,001	192,194	485,530	746,772	355,469
<b>Imports to end of November</b>									
<i>By Rail and River—</i>									
E. B. and Assam*	124,453	168,115	6,086,435	972,537	860,514	1,121,079	87,658	57,028	80,319
Bengal	13,013,114	13,227,577	8,409,360	413,906	397,733	167,645	7,331,300	9,422,305	7,759,386
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	16,538	20,918	32,634	1,210	1,301	301	3,811	4,367	34,904
Punjab	...	...	...	2,129	65	3	330	440	32,959
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	4	11,165	1,251	...	...	47	...	9	3,440
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,517	38,070	147,113
Madras	...	1	30	4	3	2	31,270	4,196	21,301
<b>TOTAL</b>	14,054,109	13,413,776	15,495,710	1,394,647	1,259,631	1,290,071	7,443,493	9,537,961	8,069,014
<i>By Sea—</i>									
E. B. and Assam	...	...	50,500	...	...	7,600	...	...	117
Bengal	35,082	750,682	128,666	6,034	6,300	1,867	120,747	201,012	131,307
Bombay	...	...	...	168	195	11	134	39	120,731
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84,570
Madras	10,052	1,606	81	475	1,185	406	897	...	32,285
Burma	...	...	...	3	2	20	58,531	41,482	2,464,751
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	156	57	39	1,090	2,240	1,258	1,331	947	87,303
<b>TOTAL</b>	43,490	161,376	228,265	8,571	10,616	11,361	181,438	334,393	2,864,966
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	14,097,599	13,575,152	15,723,975	1,403,218	1,270,247	1,301,432	7,624,931	9,872,354	10,933,980

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Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)  
[In thousands of Rupees]

		IN THE 12 MONTHS, APRIL TO JANUARY, OF									
		1897-98	1898-99	1899-1900	1900-01	1901-02	1902-03	1903-04	1904-05	1905-06	1906-07
<b>SEA CUSTOMS</b>											
<b>IMPORTS</b>											
<i>Special Import Duties</i>											
Arms, ammunition, and military stores		3.00	2.85	2.85	2.35	2.87	2.92	2.78	2.33	2.41	2.71
<i>Liquors—</i>											
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors		1.48	1.61	1.68	1.58	1.80	2.01	2.12	2.35	2.46	2.59
Spirits and liqueurs		50.01	52.04	52.68	53.13	53.01	58.04	61.09	63.08	66.40	63.09
Wines		2.95	3.14	2.94	2.91	2.89	3.31	3.09	3.05	3.20	3.17
Opium		4	2	3	8	3	3	3	3	3	3
Petroleum		40.52	36.93	33.41	39.46	44.83	44.07	34.32	37.81	31.80	39.73
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1899)		—	—	6.08	15.72	19.79	16.80	2.10	11	1	1
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1902)		—	—	—	—	—	3.26	18	9	1	—
<i>General Import Duties</i>											
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar)		12.42	11.29	12.16	13.89	12.56	12.20	12.89	15.01	16.16	16.59
Sugar (ordinary duties)		18.90	16.45	14.80	24.39	25.78	21.60	24.06	27.47	30.15	39.79
Chemicals, drugs, medicines and narcotics, and dyeing and tanning materials		8.78	8.81	8.43	8.04	9.90	9.88	11.30	11.83	11.91	12.55
<i>Cotton manufactures—</i>											
Piece goods, grey		20.26	18.23	40.67	39.74	42.64	43.83	36.98	46.77	33.53	34.17
“ white		14.67	14.01	15.40	15.07	23.30	23.86	16.20	22.71	24.15	20.52
“ coloured		11.39	13.95	20.09	19.60	20.21	16.87	22.86	16.40	27.72	28.00
Other goods		1.51	1.53	2.40	2.20	2.18	2.75	3.12	4.46	4.07	5.31
<i>Metals and manufactures of—</i>											
Silver, bullion and coin		35.43	26.56	19.60	9.38	25.37	31.92	37.64	33.59	22.05	32.76
Other metals and manufactures of metals		18.60	16.63	13.61	18.05	19.44	23.10	27.14	30.01	25.79	28.68
Oils (excluding petroleum)		2.12	1.50	1.12	1.29	1.60	1.22	77	80	1.08	1.66
Manufactured articles		37.10	40.72	45.96	48.80	51.00	51.10	38.90	69.32	69.52	70.81
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles		7.44	7.10	4.67	8.57	7.89	7.52	7.52	8.40	9.90	9.56
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>		<b>3,02.45</b>	<b>2,96.07</b>	<b>2,99.64</b>	<b>3,72.61</b>	<b>3,70.79</b>	<b>3,62.62</b>	<b>3,61.53</b>	<b>4,08.21</b>	<b>4,04.52</b>	<b>4,24.73</b>
<b>EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON GOODS</b>		<b>8.79</b>	<b>11.08</b>	<b>11.01</b>	<b>9.67</b>	<b>14.29</b>	<b>14.11</b>	<b>16.81</b>	<b>18.34</b>	<b>21.45</b>	<b>22.19</b>
<b>EXPORT DUTIES—</b>											
Rice and Rice-flour		41.28	69.04	61.10	58.59	61.46	82.85	78.45	89.22	78.55	66.11
<b>LAND CUSTOMS AND MISCELLANEOUS</b>		<b>6.07</b>	<b>4.78</b>	<b>5.92</b>	<b>6.15</b>	<b>7.10</b>	<b>5.93</b>	<b>7.65</b>	<b>8.20</b>	<b>7.33</b>	<b>7.86</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>3,58.49</b>	<b>3,82.77</b>	<b>3,87.67</b>	<b>3,98.33</b>	<b>4,62.64</b>	<b>4,73.51</b>	<b>4,65.86</b>	<b>5,21.68</b>	<b>5,11.00</b>	<b>5,19.89</b>
<i>Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports</i>											
Bengal	Imports	1,06.38	1,12.41	1,20.64	1,28.06	1,39.03	1,25.19	1,24.11	1,44.54	1,45.20	1,43.33
	Exports	9.14	16.99	16.56	17.49	12.02	12.76	12.44	16.07	19.14	9.73
Eastern Bengal and Assam	Imports	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	47
	Exports	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bombay	Imports	1,26.08	1,17.37	1,06.73	1,10.29	1,29.41	1,43.68	1,41.07	1,54.36	1,53.91	1,60.05
	Exports	2.21	2.04	2.08	2.37	1.68	2.80	2.01	1.08	1.55	1.57
Sind	Imports	19.75	18.69	22.70	28.27	41.21	33.26	26.95	32.11	35.44	40.65
	Exports	63	1.28	94	79	1.80	1.16	1.12	1.50	1.41	3.33
Madras	Imports	27.10	23.50	25.66	27.21	32.69	31.57	34.05	35.04	31.61	34.58
	Exports	6.75	3.67	5.03	2.10	4.90	3.01	8.15	6.12	3.57	7.65
Burma	Imports	23.14	25.00	22.07	28.23	26.82	25.02	35.37	32.56	37.77	40.65
	Exports	22.45	45.06	35.49	35.24	40.76	60.17	53.72	63.56	52.57	43.26

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The following statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 2nd February 1907, is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 20,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SINDH.	Western.	Bombay City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. . . . .	63	54
		Dholera Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	"	"
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	22	2
		Gogo Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	6	3
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	105	81
		Panch Mahals District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	41	31
		Kaira District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	973	604
		Broach Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	1(a)	1(a)
		Broach District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	57	31
		Mahikantika State . . . . .	" " . . . . .	114	30
		Ravakantika State . . . . .	" " . . . . .	11	7
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Bulhar Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Surat District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	65	46
		Palanpur State . . . . .	" " . . . . .	105	57
		Jharsa Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Uda . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	"	"
		Vanva . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Kelva . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	"	"
		Trombay . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	"	"
		Tarapur . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	"	"
		Manori . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Mahim . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Dagori . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Dharu . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Bhiwadi . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	"	"
		Aghashi . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	"	"
		Shirgaon . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Karla . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Bansin . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	"	"
		Kalyan . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	"	"
		Thana . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	1
		Randva . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	"	"
		Umbergaon Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Koo . . . . .	" " . . . . .	"	"
		Thana District . . . . .	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I. . . . .	1	1
Central.		Poona City . . . . .	S. M. & G. I. P. . . . .	"	"
		Poona District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	36	31
		Batam . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	219	104
		Ahmednagar District . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	5	4

(a) Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague occurrences.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND GOND.	Central.	Khandesh District	G. I. P.	167(a)	125(a)
		Nasik	"	12	8
		Sholapur Town	"	...	...
		Sholapur District	G. I. P., B. M. & Barul	...	...
		Alibor Fort	G. I. P.	...	...
		Mos	G. I. P. & B. R. & C. I.	...	...
		Parvat	G. I. P.	...	...
		Mahad	"	...	...
		Nehol	"	...	...
		Koba	G. I. P. & S. M.	...	...
		Ashrami	"	...	...
		Revdanda	B. R. & C. I.	...	...
		Kotaka District	G. I. P. & B. R. & C. I.	14	9
		Ratangiri Fort	S. M.	...	...
	Southern.	Visedrag	"	...	...
		Harnai	"	...	...
		Rajapur	"	...	...
		Venguria	"	2	2
		Makvan	"	...	...
		Jaitapur	"	...	...
		Dabhal	"	...	...
		Jalgad	"	...	...
		Deogad	"	...	...
		Ratangiri District	S. M.	9	6
		Belgaum	"	70	30
		Dharwar	"	19	13
		Karwar Fort	"	...	...
		Kanta	"	...	...
		Kanara District	"	...	...
		Savarnivadi State	"	...	...
	Mud.	Kanachi Town and Fort	N. W.	60	43
		Kanachi District	"	...	...
		Hyderabad Town	"	...	...
		Hyderabad District	" & I. R.	...	...
		Larkhann	"	...	...
		Thar and Parhar District	J. R.	...	...
		Bukhar District	N. W.	...	...
		Khairpur State	N. W. & J. R.	...	...
	Political Charges.	Akhrot State	G. I. P.	...	...
		Aundh	G. I. P. & S. M.	...	...
		Phaltan	"	...	...
		Tuna Fort	Tuna-Anjar	...	...
		Mundia	"	...	...

(a) Occurred in East Khandesh.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIINDH.	Political Charge.	Tatva Port . . . . .	Tuna-Anjar . . . . .	—	—
		Cambar Port . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	2	4
		Cambar State . . . . .	" . . . . .	26	15
		Mandvi Port . . . . .	Tuna-Anjar . . . . .	—	—
		Cutch State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Savarni " . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Bhor " . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	6	6
		Mongrol Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	—	—
		Porbandar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Bhavnagar Town and Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	5	4
		Jamnagar " . . . . .	" . . . . .	25	8
		Makruva Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Jafrahad " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Vavania " . . . . .	" Morvi Sec.) . . . . .	—	—
		Kathiawar Agency . . . . .	B., B. & C. I., Morvi & B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	110	56
		Kolhapur Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	30	22
		Kolhapur and Southern Maharashtra Country . . . . .	" . . . . .	340	102
		Sachin State . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Dharapur State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Pravardhan Port . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Marud " . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Sarimandla " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Nandgaon " . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Majagaon " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Rajapuri " . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Janjira Port . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Janjira State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Velan Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Baroda City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	12	7
		Dwarka Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	19	9
		Bet Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Kodinar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Baroda State . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	233	222
		Ratana " . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	14	10
		Jath " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Borad " . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	4	3
		Adan " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		TOTAL		3,314	2,206
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	—	Madras City . . . . .	Madras & S. I. . . . .	—	—
		Anantapur District . . . . .	" & S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Salem District . . . . .	" . . . . .	12 (a)	9
		Bellary Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	2	6
		Bellary Cantonment . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Bellary District . . . . .	" & Madras . . . . .	7	7

(a) Three imported.



Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague coinurea.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.		Kurnool District . . . .	B. M. & Madras . . . .	...	...
		North Arcot District . . . .	S. L. & " . . . .	...	...
		Nilgiris . . . .	Madras . . . .	1	...
		Telloberry Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	2
		Cuddalore Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Mangalore . . . .	" . . . .	3	3
		Tionerelly District . . . .	S. L. . . .	...	...
		Malabar . . . .	Madras . . . .	...	...
		Cuddalore . . . .	S. M. & S. L. . . .	...	...
		Madras District . . . .	S. L. . . .	...	...
		Vinagapatom Port . . . .	B. M. & Madras . . . .	...	...
		Vinagapatom District . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Ganjam District . . . .	B. M. . . .	...	...
		Ermaia Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		South Canara District . . . .	S. L. & Madras . . . .	...	...
		Chingleput . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Godavari . . . .	Madras . . . .	...	...
		Cannanore Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Tanjore District . . . .	S. L. . . .	...	...
		Trichinopoly . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Cochin State . . . .	Madras . . . .	...	...
		Bimlipatnam Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Calingapatom . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Cocconada . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Gopalpore . . . .	B. M. . . .	...	...
		TOTAL		26	27
BENGAL	Presidency.	Calcutta . . . .	E. L. & B. G. & B. N. . . .	31(a)	24
		Jessore District . . . .	B. C. . . .	...	...
		Nadia . . . .	E. R. S. . . .	...	...
		Murshidabad District . . . .	" & E. L. . . .	...	...
		Khulna District . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
	Burdwan	Midnapore District . . . .	B. N. . . .	...	...
		Burdwan . . . .	E. L. . . .	...	...
		Howrah Town . . . .	E. L. & B. N. . . .	...	...
		Howrah District . . . .	E. L. . . .	...	...
		Hoochly . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Birbhum . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Bankura . . . .	B. N. . . .	...	...
	Patna	Chupra Town . . . .	B. & M.-W. . . .	...	...
		Saran District . . . .	" . . . .	712	679
		Gaya Town . . . .	S. L. . . .	10	10
		Gaya District . . . .	" . . . .	125	69

(a) Two imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BENGALEE.	Patna	Munshiganj District	B. & N.-W.	59	61
		Darbhanga Town	"	"	"
		Darbhanga District	"	117	90
		Shahabad "	B. I.	110	80
		Dinapore	"	"	"
		Patna City	"	23	28
		Patna District	"	265	200
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town	B. I.	"	"
		Monghyr District	"	47	36
		Darjeeling "	D. H.	"	"
		Bhagalpur Town	B. I.	5	0
		Bhagalpur District	B. & N.-W.	5	2
	Chota Nagpur.	Palaman District	B. I.	1	8
		Gaugpur State	B. N.	"	"
		Paralia Town	"	"	"
		Manbhum District	B. I. & B. N.	"	"
		Singbham "	B. N.	"	"
		Hamirbagh "	B. I.	"	"
	Orissa	Cuttack District	B. N.	"	"
		Bambalpur "	"	"	"
	Total			1,508	1,367
UNDEP PROVINCES.	Meerut.	Meerut City	N. W.	"	"
		Meerut Cantonment.	"	"	"
		Meerut District	O. & R. & B. I.	235	208
		Mumfarnagar City	"	"	"
		Mumfarnagar District	"	358	588
		Aligarh City	B. I. & O. & R.	"	"
		Aligarh District	"	69	43
		Sahasganj City	O. & R. & N. W.	"	"
		Hardwar Union	"	"	"
		Roorkee Town	"	"	"
		Sahasganj District	B. & N. W.	123	120
		Bulandshahr "	B. I.	35	11
		Dehra Dub "	O. & R.	"	"
	Agra	Kanwar City	B. I.	"	"
		Kanwar District	"	19	10
		Fatehgarh	O. & R. & C. I.	"	"
		Farrukhabad Town	B. & N. W.	68	68
		Farrukhabad District	"	46	36

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Agra	Mainpuri District	E. I.	...	...
		Agra City	B., M. & O. I., G. I. P. & A. K. I.	...	...
		Agra District	" " " "	...	...
		Etah "	" " " "	86	78
		Hathras City	" & E. I.	4	3
		Muttra "	" & G. I. P.	...	...
		Muttra District	" " " "	...	...
	Rohilkhand.	Bareilly City	B. & K. & O. & R.	37	33
		Bareilly District	" " " "	14	10
		Shahjahanpur City	" " " "	...	...
		Shahjahanpur District	" " " "	21	22
		Budaun District	O. & M. & R., B. & A. C. I.	242	209
		Bijnor Town	" " " "	...	...
		Bijnor District	" " " "	241	230
		Moradabad City	" & R. K.	...	...
		Moradabad District	" " " "	131	99
		Pilibhit District	R. K.	123	129
	Allahabad	Allahabad City	B. I. & O. & R.	57	50
		Allahabad District	" " " "	48	48
		Cawnpur City	B., M. & O. I. & G. I. P. (L. M. Sec.)	117	107
		Cawnpur District	" " " "	...	...
		Fatehpur "	E. I.	27	23
		Banda "	O. I. P. (L. M. Sec.) & E. I.	...	...
		Jhansi City	" ( " )	...	...
		Jhansi District	" ( " )	...	...
		Hamirpur "	" ( " )	...	...
		Jaloun "	" ( " )	...	...
	Benares	Benares Cantonment	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	...	...
		Benares City	" " " "	4	4
		Benares District	" " " & K. I.	21	6
		Ballia "	" " " "	314	737
		Jaunpur City	O. & R.	...	...
		Jaunpur District	" & B. & N. W.	45	35
		Ghazipur "	B. I. & B. & N. W.	213	304
		Mirzapur City	" " " "	14	4
		Mirzapur District	" & O. & R.	103	112
		"	" " " "	...	...
	Gorakhpur.	Amangarh City	E. I.	...	...
		Amangarh District	" " " "	303	299
		Gorakhpur City	B. & N. W.	...	...
		Gorakhpur District	" " " "	230	219
		Gauti District	" " " "	27	20



Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Kannauj	Naini Tal	O & N.	—	—
		Hardoi District	"	—	—
	Lucknow	Unao District	" & B. & N. W.	100	107
		Lucknow City	" & B. & N. W.	64	68
		Lucknow District	"	108	96
		Hardoi "	"	187	119
		Rae Bareilly "	"	106	92
		Sitapur "	B. & K.	126	96
		Kheri "	"	55	40
	Fyzabad	Bahraich District	B. & N. W.	35	35
		Goonda "	"	15	12
		Parbhagwah "	O & B.	97	84
		Sultanpur "	"	130	77
		Ajodhya "	" & B. & N. W.	—	—
		Fyzabad City	"	106	100
		Fyzabad District	"	91	91
		Bara Banki Town	B. & N. W. & O. & B. & K.	—	—
		Bara Banki District	"	415	367
	Total			6,005	5,408
	Delhi	Muzaffarnagar District	B., B. & C. I. & N. W.	31	16
		Muzaffarnagar "	K. I.	35	63
		Shamli "	K. F.	—	—
		Delhi City	"	2	3
		Delhi District	B. I., N. W., O. & B. & C. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	90	72
		Ambala "	N. W. & B. I.	600	419
		Ludhiana "	"	1,257	931
		Rohtak "	"	170	148
PUNJAB	Jalandhar	Jalandhar City	"	5	5
		Jalandhar District	"	415	371
		Mohiampur "	"	303	280
		Faridkot "	"	174	118
		Kangra "	"	—	—
	Lahore	Amritsar City	"	10	10
		Amritsar District	"	160	160
		Gurdaspur "	"	1,380	855
		Lahore City	"	75	55
		Lahore District	"	354	374
		Gujranwala District	"	375	388
		Montgomery City	"	—	—
		Montgomery District	"	—	—
		Sialkot "	"	481	477

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague sources.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District . . . . .	N. W. & P. I. . . . .	79	73
		Onjrat . . . . .	" . . . . .	15	15
		Shahpur . . . . .	" . . . . .	10	4
		Jhelum . . . . .	" . . . . .	3	3
		Attock . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Multan.	Mianwali District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Lyalpur . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Musafargarh . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	—	Patiala City . . . . .	Rajpura-Bhatinda (N. W. Ry.).	10	9
		Patiala State . . . . .	N. W., E. I., B. B. & C. I. & J. B.	375	329
		Kapurthala State . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	208	133
		Haler Kotla . . . . .	" . . . . .	168	168
		Nalagarh . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Jind . . . . .	" . . . . .	29	16
		Kalsia State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Faridkot . . . . .	" . . . . .	33	16
		Nabha . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		TOTAL . . . . .		6,692	3,301
BURMA.	Pegu.	Rangoon Town . . . . .	Burma . . . . .	48	48
		Hanthawaddy District . . . . .	" . . . . .	2	1
		Pegu District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	" . . . . .	45	26
		Prome . . . . .	" . . . . .	26	25
	Irrawaddy.	Magbin District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Bassein . . . . .	" . . . . .	6	5
		Hennada . . . . .	" . . . . .	37	23
		Pynon . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Myaungmya . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Minn.	Pakokku District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Minn District . . . . .	" . . . . .	7	7
		Thayemyo District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District . . . . .	" . . . . .	12	11
		Amherst (Moulmain) District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Tavoy District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Moulmain Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	5	5
		Thaon District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
BUNMA.	Mandalay	Myittha District	Burma	...	...
		Bhamo District	"	...	...
		Mandalay Town	"	266	255
		Mandalay District	"	2	2
	Sagging	Shwabo District	"	...	...
		Lower Chindwin (Monywa) District.	"	...	...
		Sagging	"	...	...
	Mektila	Myingyan District	"	...	...
		Yamethin	"	45	45
		Kyankme	"	31	35
		Mektila	"	31	17
	TOTAL			547	509
EASTERN BURMA AND AMAR.	Sajshahi	Pabna District	R. R. R.	...	...
		Maida	"	...	...
	Dacca	Dacca Town	"	...	...
		Faridpur District	"	...	...
	TOTAL			...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INDO-TIME BENGAL).	Nagpur	Nagpur City	B. N. & G. I. P.	11	14
		Nagpur District	"	63	53
		Wardha Town	G. I. P.	...	...
		Wardha District	"	32(a)	30(b)
		Kamptee Cantonment	B. N.	...	...
		Kamptee Town	"	...	...
		Chanda Town	G. I. P.	...	...
		Chanda District	"	7(c)	6(c)
		Bhandara Town	B. N.	...	...
		Bhandara District	"	77(c)	68(c)
		Raleghat Town	"	...	...
		Raleghat District	"	...	...
	Jubbulpur.	Jubbulpore Town	B. I. & G. I. P.	340	336
		Jubbulpore Cantonment	"	7	4
		Jubbulpore District	"	71(d)	48(e)
		Damoh Town	G. I. P. (I. N. Sec.)	...	...
		Damoh District	" ( " )	5	5 (f)
		Bangor Cantonment	" ( " )	...	...
		Bangor Town	" ( " )	1	1
		Bangor District	" ( " )	...	...
		Chappara Town	" ( " )	...	...
		Beoni Town	B. N.	5	3
		Beoni District	"	42	26
		Maudia	"	5	3

(a) Three imported. (b) Two imported. (c) One imported. (d) Nine imported. (e) Eight imported. (f) Imported



Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BEHAR).	North India	Khandwa Town	H., R. & C. I. & G. I. P.	11	0(a)
		Burhanpur Town	G. I. P.	...	...
		Nimar District	G. I. P. & R., R. & C. I.	70	51
		Pachmar	"	...	...
		Hoshangabad Town	"	...	...
		Hoshangabad District	"	7	7
		Narsingpur Town	"	...	...
		Narsingpur District	"	20(a)	11
		Betul District	"	...	...
		Chhindwara Town	"	...	...
	Central India	Chhindwara District	R. N.	21	3
		Drug Town	"	...	...
		Bilaspur Town	"	...	...
		Bilaspur District	"	...	...
		Raipur Town	"	...	...
	Bihar	Raipur District	"	...	...
		Akola Town	G. I. P.	3	6
		Akola District	"	533(b)	250(c)
		Buldana Town	"	...	...
		Buldana District	"	181	196
		Yectmal Town	"	24	80(a)
		Yectmal District	"	...	...
		Amroha Town	"	75	75
		Amroha District	"	109(a)	102(a)
		TOTAL		1,533	1,379
Mysore State.	Mysore State.	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	S. M. & Madras	21	18
		Bangalore City	"	30	21
		Bangalore District	"	26	11
		Mysore City	"	75	55
		Mysore District	"	3	4
		Kolar	Madras	...	...
		Kolar Gold Fields	"	4	8
		Tumkur District	S. M.	7	4
		Shimoga	"	...	...
		Chitaldrug	"	...	...
		Madur	"	4	3
		Hamir	"	10	13
		TOTAL		180	183

(a) One imported.

(b) Four imported.

(c) Two imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Demandabad District	G. I. P. & Barm	51 (a)	46 (a)
		Farbhami District	N. C. S.	...	...
		Aurangabad District	"	6 (a)	6 (a)
		TOTAL		57	51
		Indore City	B., B. & C. I.	130 (b)	98 (b)
		Indore State	" & G. I. P.		
		Indore Residency	"	...	...
		Ujjain City	"	27	27
		Gwalior City	G. I. P.	7 (c)	7 (a)
		Gwalior State (portion in Bhopal)	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.		
		Dhar State	G. I. P. (J. M. Sec.) & Gwalior	...	...
		Pathari	" ( " )	...	...
		Malwa Agency	Rajputana-Malwa	5	2
		Bhopal City	G. I. P.	...	...
		Bhopal Agency	"	21 (d)	24 (d)
		Bagore (Gwalior)	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Bhopal Agency	"	...	...
		Makrandgarh State	G. I. P. (J. M. Sec.)	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment	B., B. & C. I. (Rajputana-Malwa)	...	...
		Mitach	"	...	...
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Ratlam City	"	...	...
		Ratlam State	"	25 (e)	20 (e)
		Dewas Town	"	...	...
		Dewas State	G. I. P.	...	...
		Karimgarh State	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Malwa Agency	"	...	...
		Tupik State (portion in Central India)	G. I. P.	...	...
		Bawa Town	"	...	...
		Bawa State	"	...	...
		Sohore State	"	...	...
		Datia City	"	...	...
		Datia State	"	...	...
		Sallana Town	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Sallana State	"	...	...
		Piploda District	"	...	...
		Bagli State	"	...	...
		Jhabua	"	12	8
		Jagori Town	"	...	...
		Jagori State	"	75	71
		Agar Military Station	G. I. P.	...	...
		Manpur	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Sitamar State	"	...	...
		Rajgarh	G. I. P.	...	...
		Karwal	"	...	...
		Barwani	" & B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Lachkar City	"	...	...
		TOTAL		310	261

(a) Figures for the period from 22nd to 28th January 1907.  
 (b) Figures for 2 weeks ending 2nd February 1907.  
 (c) Figures for the week ending 28th January 1907.  
 (d) Of these 19 seizures and 16 deaths occurred in Bundel Pargana.

Province or Presidency.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
RAJ- PUTANA.		Ratharpur State	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Ajmer City	"	...	...
		Ajmer District	"	1	...
		Ajmer-Marwar District	"	...	...
		Abu Road	"	...	...
		Marwar State	"	12	11
		Parbhargh State	"	...	...
		Chittor (Udaipur) State	"	...	...
		Tonk State	"	11	7
		Marwar State (Jodhpur)	J. B.	...	...
		Jaipur City	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Jaipur State	"	19	18
		Kishangarh Town	"	...	...
		Bikaner State	J. B.	...	...
		Jhalawar	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Kotah	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Sirohi	"	1(a)	1(a)
		Shahpura	G. I. P.	...	...
		Dholpur State.	"	...	...
		Alwar City	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Alwar State	"	4(a)	5(a)
		Banwar	"	...	...
		Karauli State	"	...	...
		Banswara Town	"	...	...
		Banswara State	"	...	...
			TOTAL		49
KASHMIR		Jammu Province	N. W.	50	51
		Kathua District	"	...	...
		TOTAL		50	51
N.-W. F. PROVINCE		Abbottabad Town	N. W.	...	...
		Harara District	"	...	...
		Banna District	"	...	...
		Dera Ismail Khan District	"	...	...
		Peshawar Town	"	...	...
		Peshawar District	"	4	4
		TOTAL		4	4
BALU- CHISTAN		Somniah	N. W.	...	...
		Hirok	"	...	...
		Shibi	"	...	...
		Las Bela State	"	...	...
		TOTAL		...	...
GRAND TOTAL.				90,202	10,001

(a) Figures for the week ending 23rd January 1907.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian  
Railways

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# RAILWAY BOARD.

## STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N. B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RESULTS OF WORKING DURING 1ST-HALF OF YEAR.										RESULTS OF WORKING FOR OFFICIAL YEAR.									
RAILWAYS.	AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending.		Earnings per mile open for week.		Total earnings from 1st January to 31st January 1907.		Increase.		Decrease.						
	During 1st-half of 1906.	During official year 1905-06.	1906.	1907.	27th January 1906.	26th January 1907.	1906.	1907.	27th January 1906.	26th January 1907.	1906.	1907.	1906.	1907.					
	R.	Miles.	R.	Miles.	R.	R.	R.	R.	R.	R.	R.	R.	R.	R.					
State and Guaranteed Railways.																			
Bengal-Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	280	247	1,979	2,026	6,23,157	6,56,000	315	330	21,59,753	22,80,000	10,317	11,119	13,74,711	5,246					
Beirwa exn. (Muzm.)	338	384	504	504	4,03,737	3,88,000	801	770	13,50,593	14,66,000	84,593	84,593	40,968	...					
Bombay, Baroda and Central India (Inclg. V. Wadhwan & G.)	843	753	1,235	1,281	4,50,828	5,97,000	397	466	17,16,578	20,07,000	2,40,492	2,40,492	24,92,482	...					
Eastern Bengal (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	307	370	1,235	1,281	4,50,828	5,97,000	397	466	17,16,578	20,07,000	2,40,492	2,40,492	24,92,482	...					
East Indian	744	730	2,109	2,280	18,46,843	16,95,000	876	743	66,12,549	62,52,000	360,549	360,549	28,85,825	...					
Great Indian Peninsula system	701	650	1,569	1,569	13,27,858	13,74,000	846	876	52,19,549	50,31,000	1,88,549	1,88,549	6,34,755	...					
Agri-Delhi exn.	251	171	180	126	24,375	49,200	203	390	88,211	1,65,000	76,789	76,789	31,65,873	...					
Indian Midland (Inclg. Bhopal & Itan)	243	197	914	914	2,47,858	3,12,000	271	347	9,52,380	11,01,000	1,48,620	1,48,620	15,16,037	...					
Madras	344	317	845	845	2,02,710	2,69,000	246	318	10,38,094	9,88,000	59,094	59,094	8,11,647	...					
Ashtam-Mangalore (s)	...	...	...	57	1,27,916	1,600	...	28	4,47,273	3,85,000	6,200	6,200	36,300	...					
North-East India	251	204	404	495	7,119	1,37,000	259	277	2,786	3,85,000	4,168	4,168	5,79,240	...					
West Coast extension (Calicut-Assol)	116	116	60	60	...	6,200	119	103	...	23,700	...	...	36,316	...					
North-Western (Inclg. K. K. Thal & N. D. & G.)	344	330	3,395	3,499	11,79,593	11,89,000	347	340	43,55,407	42,98,000	57,407	57,407	46,51,993	...					
Orissa and Rohilkhand (Inclg. C. Bichwal & J. G. & R. D. & G.)	275	250	1,240	1,298	5,09,239	3,68,000	411	284	15,14,458	15,74,000	59,543	59,543	97,515	...					
Hardwar-Dehra	211	194	39	24	6,743	6,000	211	194	21,914	24,700	2,786	2,786	12,097	...					
Assam Bengal	91	92	775	771	73,916	88,100	95	114	2,55,253	3,64,000	1,08,747	1,08,747	7,64,463	...					
Burma	249	226	1,340	1,240	3,85,839	4,00,000	288	259	13,72,625	13,46,000	26,625	26,625	1,22,590	...					
Godpur-Hyderabad (British section)	157	137	1,040	1,040	23,029	13,900	186	112	73,960	46,400	...	...	38,527	...					
Lucknow-Bareilly	151	151	237	237	61,918	45,900	261	191	1,71,543	1,46,000	...	...	...	...					
Milgr	419	372	17	17	5,935	6,600	349	388	23,076	31,700	...	...	...	...					
Palampur-Dehra	52	42	17	17	593	900	38	53	3,255	3,300	45	45	2,161	...					
Rajpootana-Malwa (Inclg. Godhra-Ratlam & Nagda & G.)	307	307	1,917	1,909	6,55,959	5,55,000	347	291	23,55,536	20,59,000	2,96,536	2,96,536	7,79,578	...					
South Indian	233	222	1,124	1,131	2,28,712	2,50,000	293	226	9,01,146	9,18,000	16,854	16,854	2,31,314	...					
Tanjore District Board	123	116	99	99	12,186	10,600	123	107	40,633	37,100	...	...	...	...					
Travancore Branch	85	88	108	108	10,078	8,900	93	82	37,010	32,900	...	...	...	...					
Southern Mahratta (Inclg. Gl. M. Froon. sec.)	108	148	1,165	1,165	1,71,751	1,85,000	147	161	6,65,450	6,42,000	23,480	23,480	1,15,591	...					
Bellary-Rayawag	19	19	33	33	500	800	17	24	2,039	3,000	961	961	15,391	...					
Hospet-Kottur	25	19	43	43	1,033	1,200	24	25	3,975	3,400	...	...	7,696	...					
Mysore section	127	121	296	296	44,406	38,100	130	129	1,42,747	1,33,000	9,747	9,747	1,22,534	...					
Tirhoot State	201	215	589	615	11,5236	1,53,000	196	249	4,72,013	6,02,000	1,29,987	1,29,987	5,54,675	...					
Chitab-Simla	232	245	58	58	6,353	7,600	108	127	24,888	32,400	7,512	7,512	17,268	...					
...	26	...	18	18	577	800	23	42	754	2,700	1,946	1,946	28,700	...					
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					



All other Railways									
Station	1906	1905	1904	1903	1902	1901	1900	1899	1898
Amritsar-Patti (d)	125	112	114	114	114	114	114	114	114
Bhopal-Ujjain	78	50	148	148	148	148	148	148	148
Bina-Guna-Baran	233	238	165	165	165	165	165	165	165
Delhi-Delhi-Roha	88	88	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Jamuna-Kashmir	414	367	367	367	367	367	367	367	367
Kolar-Gold-fields	158	158	158	158	158	158	158	158	158
Lachhna-Dhuri-Jahad	116	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98
Nagda-Ujjain	276	276	276	276	276	276	276	276	276
Nizam's Guaranteed State	115	115	115	115	115	115	115	115	115
Perdab-Cambay	205	205	205	205	205	205	205	205	205
Rajpura-Bhatinda	263	263	263	263	263	263	263	263	263
Southern Punjab	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	180
extension (Lachhna-McLeodganj)	343	343	343	343	343	343	343	343	343
Tapi Valley	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59
Turkashur	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159
Almaded-Dholes	172	172	172	172	172	172	172	172	172
Almaded-Parant	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99
Bengal and North-Western	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129
Bengal Doon	57	57	57	57	57	57	57	57	57
extension	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72
Bharuagar-Gondal-Jusagad-Parbandar	242	242	242	242	242	242	242	242	242
Bharu-Shimoga	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91
Dharamdara	178	178	178	178	178	178	178	178	178
Dibru-Sedya	49	49	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
Gachwar's railways	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84
Hyderabad-Godavari Valley	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95
Jamunagar	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121
Jodhpur-Bikaner	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25
Kolhapur	69	69	69	69	69	69	69	69	69
Morvi (including Vanhavan-Morvi & Co.)	119	119	119	119	119	119	119	119	119
Mythenag-Bhimsapur-Jaganathganj	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121
Rohilkhand and Kumaon (Co. & Co.)	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25
Bareilly-Soron extension (d)	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
Shoranu-Cochin	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121
Udaipur-Chitor	85	85	85	85	85	85	85	85	85
Yerravandi-Mysore Free. sec. (including M. Nasikganj)	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
Bansl.	151	151	151	151	151	151	151	151	151
Cooch Behar	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94
Gachwar's Dabhal	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96
Rajpura	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41
Darjeling-Himalayan	385	385	385	385	385	385	385	385	385
TOTAL	149	149	149	149	149	149	149	149	149
GRAND TOTAL	313	313	313	313	313	313	313	313	313

(a) Opened from 1st August 1906.  
 (b) From 1st January 1906.  
 (c) From 1st September 1905.

Calcutta 10th February 1907.

M. S. S. O'CONNOR,  
 for Secretary, Railway Board.

No. 1206—1220-2.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

EMIGRATION.

RESOLUTION.

*Dated Calcutta, the 6th February 1907.*

His Majesty's Secretary of State for India has brought to the notice of the Government of India the fact that there is no prospect of employment for Indian labourers in New Caledonia and that in the event of their destitution there is no likelihood of their being afforded relief by the Colonial Government.

2. The Governor General in Council accordingly requests all Local Governments and Administrations to make the above intimation generally known, particularly in places from which emigration to New Caledonia is believed to be most common; and also to warn intending emigrants at the ports of embarkation of the risks they run in proceeding to that Colony.

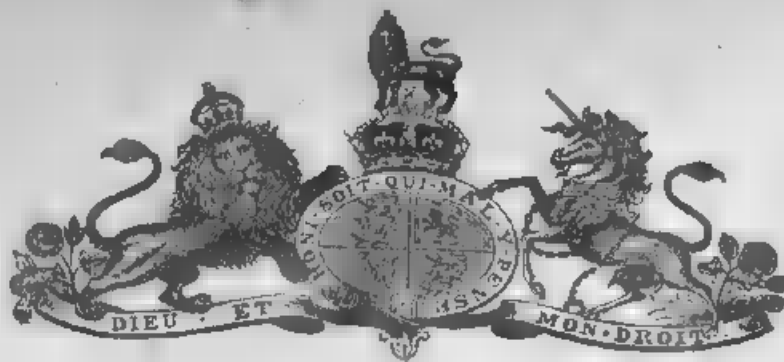
The Secretary to the Government of Madras.	Bombay.
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" " " " " "	Eastern Bengal and Assam.
" Honourable the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.	
" Chief Commissioner of Coorg.	
" " " " " Ajmer-Merwara.	
" Honourable the Chief Commissioner of the North-West Frontier Provinces.	
" Honourable the Agent to the Governor General in Baluchistan.	

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded, for information and guidance, to the Local Governments and Administrations noted in the margin and to the Home and Foreign Departments, for information.

Ordered also, that a copy be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

W. L. HARVEY,

*Secretary to the Government of India.*



SUPPLEMENT TO  
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 h., on Thursday, the 14th February 1907, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

The weather in northern India during the past week was controlled by two depressions, one of which, after giving comparatively heavy rain at the entrance to the Persian Gulf on the 8th, passed through Baluchistan and entered north-west India on the 10th. It was preceded on the 9th by the appearance in Gujarat of an area of low pressure which gradually spread eastwards, and in conjunction with the depression from Persia established low pressure conditions and unsettled weather over the whole of northern India. Rain commenced falling in Baluchistan on the 9th, and then passed across northern and central India reaching Assam on the 14th, but no rain occurred in Rajputana and the west of Central India; the rainfall in the Central Provinces on the 12th was associated with numerous hailstorms. Precipitation continued more or less throughout the week in Kashmir and the west Himalayas. At the close of the week another depression from Persia had commenced affecting north-west India, and on the 14th light rain was reported from Baluchistan and Sind.

**Burma.**—Skies were clear, except at the end of the week, when cloud appeared in the northern districts. Temperature was in defect on the 10th and 11th and nearly normal on other days.

**North-east India and Orissa.**—Rain was received in Orissa on the 8th and scattered rain occurred over the greater part of the division on the 13th and 14th. Skies were clear during the greater part of the period, and temperature was in defect on the 9th, 10th and 11th, and in excess on the 13th and 14th.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.*—Rain was reported on the 11th, 12th and 13th, except from the west of Central India, and there were a few scattered falls on the 8th and 10th. Skies were cloudy during the greater part of the week, and as a consequence temperature at night was higher than usual, but day temperature was generally below normal.

*North-west India.*—Precipitation has occurred on the whole division, except in Rajputana, and skies have been cloudy throughout the week. Maximum temperature was generally in defect and minimum temperature generally in excess.

*The Peninsula.*—Light falls of rain occurred at Hanumkonda, Waltair and Masulipatam. Skies were cloudy, and temperature normal or in excess on the 8th, 9th and 10th, but during the remainder of the week skies were almost clear, and temperature was normal or in defect.

The rainfall of the period, from the 30th November to the 14th February, was equal to or in excess of the normal everywhere, except on the Burma Coast, in the sub-divisions of Calcutta, Dinajpur and Ahmedabad, and in Baluchistan. The deficiency is still most marked in Baluchistan, but the rainfall of the past week has reduced the defect from eighty-one per cent. to fifty-four per cent.

The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week, as reported at 8 h., each day:

February 8th, Dehra Dun 0·42" and Hanumkonda 0·35".

" 9th, Waltair 0·68".

" 10th, Nagpur 0·38", Murree 0·95", Kurrachee 0·98", Hyderabad (Sind) 0·26", Quetta 0·46" and Chaman 0·31".

" 11th, Jubbulpore 0·50", Seoni 0·58", Hoshangabad 0·70", Murree 2·00", Sonemarg 5·04", Sialkot 0·84", Rawalpindi 1·14", Cherat 1·90", Peshawar 0·94", Khushab 0·80", Bhuj 0·67", Dwarka 1·03", Quetta 0·35" and Chaman 0·36".

" 12th, Sutna 0·56", Amraoti 1·40", Chakrata 1·47", Simla 0·90", Ludhiana 1·21", Srinagar 1·54" and Sonemarg 2·85".

" 13th, Raipur 0·55" and Bareilly 0·60".

" 14th, Saugor Island 1·24", Sambalpur 0·83" and Quetta 0·21".

RAINFALL DIVISION WITH REPRESENTATIVE STATION.	Rainfall sub-division named after representative station.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 14TH FEBRUARY 1907.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 30TH NOVEMBER 1906 TO 14TH FEBRUARY 1907.			SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
		Average actual rainfall.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1(a). Bay Islands	Port Blair	Inches.	Inch.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.		
1. Burma Coast (Rangoon).	...	0	0'12	-0'12	7'48	8'35	-0'88	-11	-9
2. Burma Wet (Bhamo)	...	0	0'11	-0'11	0'36	0'85	-0'49	-58	-51
3. Burma Dry (Mandalay).	...	0	0'02	-0'02	1'08	0'71	+0'37	+52	+57
4. Delta of Bengal	Narayanganj	0'06	0'27	-0'21	0'42	0'49	-0'07	-14	-5
5. Brahmaputra Valley (Sibsagar).	Calcutta	0'37	0'25	+0'12	1'68	1'38	+0'30	+22	+46
	...	0'28	0'36	-0'08	0'68	0'94	-0'26	-28	-55
					2'56	1'86	+0'70	+38	+52
6. Himalayas and Sub-Himalayas, East.	Dinajpur	0	0'14	-0'14	0'44	0'96	-0'52	-54	-46
	Darbhanga	0'03	0'18	-0'15	1'14	1'12	+0'02	+2	+18
7. Indo-Gangetic Plain, East.	Bahraich	0'49	0'36	+0'13	2'02	1'97	+0'05	+3	-5
	Burdwan	0'01	0'29	-0'28	0'92	0'75	+0'17	+23	+98
	Patna	0'18	0'21	-0'03	3'92	1'07	+2'85	+206	+335
8. Himalayas and Sub-Himalayas, West.	Simla	2'95	0'96	+1'99	9'66	6'40	+3'26	+52	+23
9. Indo-Gangetic Plain, West.	Ludhiana	1'12	0'64	+0'48	5'77	3'87	+1'90	+49	+44
	Cawnpore	0'30	0'25	-0'05	1'96	1'56	+0'40	+26	+34
10. N.-W. Dry Area (Bikaner).	Lahore	0'45	0'29	+0'16	2'32	2'14	+0'18	+8	+1
11. Baluchistan (Quetta)	...	0'64	0'18	+0'46	1'94	1'44	+0'50	+35	+3
	...	1'10	0'52	+0'58	1'72	3'78	-2'06	-54	-81
12. East Coast, North	Waltair	0'33	0'12	+0'20	5'03	1'37	+3'66	+267	+277
	Cuttack	0'30	0'29	+0'01	0'97	1'03	-0'06	-6	-9
13. East Satpuras	Ranchi	0'46	0'31	+0'15	2'19	0'85	+1'34	+152	+220
	Raipur	0'28	0'22	+0'06	1'61	0'82	+0'79	+96	+122
	Jubbulpore	0'79	0'25	+0'54	2'43	1'37	+1'06	+77	+46
14. Central Plateau.	India								
	Jhansi	0'38	0'22	+0'16	1'72	1'53	+0'19	+12	+8
	Jaipur	0'03	0'06	-0'03	0'93	0'83	+0'10	+12	+17
	Indore	0'03	0'04	-0'01	0'45	0'53	-0'08	-15	-14
15. West Coast	Calcut	0	0'15	-0'15	3'61	3'25	+0'36	+11	+16
	Bombay	0	0'02	-0'02	0'60	0'18	+0'42	+233	+275
16. Gujarat	Ahmedabad	0'10	0'09	+0'01	0'16	0'20	-0'04	-20	-45
17. West Satpuras (Akola).	Rajkot	0'28	0'01	+0'27	0'73	0'18	+0'55	+300	+165
	...	0'65	0'07	+0'58	1'30	0'89	+0'41	+35	-33
18. Deccan	Bellary.	0	0'01	-0'01	3'27	0'62	+2'65	+427	+436
	Bijapur	0	0'05	-0'05	1'27	0'37	+0'90	+243	+297
19. South India	Hyderabad	0	0'09	-0'09	1'77	0'20	+1'57	+785	+1509
	Mysore	0	0'01	-0'01	2'15	0'36	+1'79	+497	+514
20. East Coast, South (Madras).	Madura	0	0'23	-0'23	4'04	2'99	+1'05	+35	+46
	...	0'02	0'26	-0'24	16'20	11'66	+4'54	+39	+42

J. PATTERSON,  
for Director General of Observatories.

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;  
The 14th February 1907.



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

### Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 9th February 1907.

**Burma.**—Half an inch of rain fell in Mergui but none elsewhere. Threshing and winnowing have been completed in Kyaukpny, Maubin, and Thaton. Agricultural operations for early wet weather paddy have commenced in Mandalay; transplanting of dry weather paddy is completed in Mandalay, has commenced in Katha, and is progressing in Prome and Sagaing. Reaping of jowar is completed in the Monywa sub-division of Lower Chindwin. The standing crops in Upper Burma are in good condition except in Kyaukse where some damage has been done to crops by insects and in the Northern Shan States where wheat and tobacco crops and poppy plants are not in good condition in many places. The price of paddy has risen slightly in eight districts and has fallen slightly in the Southern Shan States.

**Eastern Bengal and Assam.**—The weather is cold and cloudy. Slight to moderate rain fell in all districts except in the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions, Bogra, Pabna, Cachar, Sylhet, Khasi and Jaintia Hills, the Lushai Hills, Darrang and Manipur. More rain is wanted in some districts. The prospects of the standing crops are generally fair. Lands are being prepared for jute, summer crops and *till*. Harvesting of mustard; plucking of cotton; pruning of tea; and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Prices of common rice:—Manipur 15½; Silchar 9 to 9½; Comilla 9½; Rangamati, Kohima, and Chittagong 9; Faridpur 6½ to 9; Dacca 8½; Mymensingh, Sylhet, Gauhati, and Sibsagar 8; Dinajpur and Pabna 7½; Bogra 7½; Barisal, Jalpaiguri, Rampur Boalia, Dhubri, and Dibrugarh 7½; Noakhali, Malda, Tezpur, and Nowgong 7; Tura 6 to 7; Rangpur 6½; and Shillong and Aijal 6 seers per rupee. Prices have risen in two; fallen in seven; and remained stationary in the remaining districts. Three hundred and forty-five persons received gratuitous relief in Sylhet.

**Bengal.**—Rain was general during the week in Bihar and Chota Nagpur. Some scattered showers fell in Orissa, but in Lower Bengal there was practically no rain whatever. The rainfall was heavy in Patna, Gaya, Shahabad, Saran, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Palamau, where it is likely to do some damage to those spring crops which are in flower or in ear. In those districts which received light rain, the crops are reported to have been benefited. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—Muzaffarpur 502, and Darbhanga 15,658. The average attendance on test-works in Champaran for the week ending the 5th February is 302, in Muzaffarpur on the 6th instant 139, and in Darbhanga on the last day available, 1,071. The number on famine relief works in Darbhanga is 43,079. Fodder and water are generally sufficient, Magura in the Jessore district being the only place where it is reported to be deficient. The price of common rice has risen in six and fallen in four districts.

**United Provinces.**—Good rain from two to five inches has fallen in the Himalayan and South Eastern districts and light to moderate rain from half an inch to two and three quarter inches has been recorded in all other districts. The rain has been generally beneficial to spring crops and poppy but bright sunny weather is now needed. Wheat and barley are in ear. Prospects continue good. Mustard is being harvested in Kheri and peas in Fyzabad, Benares, Gonda and Basti. Slight damage was done by hail to spring crops in parts of Meerut, Bulandshahr, Agra, Etawah, Farrukhabad, Unao, Sultanpur, Fyzabad, Allahabad, Jaunpur, Jalaun, Jhansi, and Hamirpur; and severe damage from the same cause is reported from parts of Cawnpore, Fatehpur, and Banda. Enquiries as to the extent of the damage are in progress. Some injury by rain is also reported from parts of Azamgarh, Gorakhpur, Partabgarh, Benares, and Ghazipur. Food supplies and fodder are generally sufficient. Prices are practically stationary.

The weekly report on the scarcity is as follows:—rainfall in cents:—Gorakhpur 116, Padrauna 51, Hata 114, and Bansgaon 222. The standing crops are in fair condition generally, but slight damage by rain is reported in the Bansgaon tahsil. Food supplies are ample. Fodder continues scarce. Prices are stationary. The numbers on relief are:—on works 217, on gratuitous relief 2,586, in poor-houses 371, total 3,174.

**Punjab.**—Good to moderate rain has fallen throughout the Province. Prices of food grains show a general downward tendency. Ploughings for and sowings of extra spring crops continue. Sugarcane sowings have begun in Ambala. The condition and prospects of the standing crops are generally good. The recent rain is sufficient and has greatly benefited the standing spring crops. Crops have been slightly damaged by hail in parts of

Gurgaon; locusts appeared in parts of Shahpur, Mianwali and Lyallpur and did some damage to crops in the lastnamed district. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder is sufficient. There are no complaints regarding the water-supply.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—Good rain has fallen during the week all over the Province and was very beneficial. The condition of the standing crops is excellent; but more rain is wanted for unirrigated crops in Bannu and Dera Ismail Khan, while fair weather is much needed in Peshawar and Hazara. Locusts have appeared in some villages of Dera Ismail Khan and in the Marwat tahsil of the Bannu district; in the former slight damage was done to the crops. Slight hail fell in the Marwat tahsil but no damage is reported. Pressing of sugarcane still continues but is retarded by the wet weather. The outturn is very good. Water-supply and fodder are sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Prices:—wheat 15½ to 18½; gram 18½ to 24; maize 21½ to 29; and bajra 20 to 21½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—There was heavy rain with hail storms at certain places. Prices are stationary. Prices:—wheat 11 to 24 and maize 11 to 36 seers per rupee. The condition of the standing crops is good. Fodder is sufficient except in the Kishtwar tahsil where it is scarce.

**Kashmir.**—Moderately heavy snow fell during the last three days of the week. The weather is cold. Prices are almost stationary.

**Rajputana.**—Showers fell nearly throughout the Agency during the week; the maximum fall at Bharatpur was about three inches. Agricultural operations are satisfactory and prospects generally favourable. Slight damage owing to hailstorms has occurred in places in Tonk, Bundi and Karauli. Prices are nearly steady throughout though still high in places.

**Central India.**—There was light rain in all Agencies except Gwalior. Autumn harvesting and irrigation of spring crops are in progress. The standing crops and the probable outturn are good. Crops have been slightly damaged by hail in parts of the Bhopal, Baghelkhand, and Bundelkhand Agencies. Agricultural stock and pasturage are generally good except in parts of Rewa. Prices are high in Baghelkhand and Jaora and are stationary elsewhere. Weeding and watering of opium are in progress.

**Central Provinces.**—Rainfall was almost general during the week (except in Nimar, Raipur and Buldana) and was accompanied by hail in ten districts; one inch or more was received in Mandla, Seoni, Narsinghpur, Betul, Nagpur, Balaghat, Amraoti, and more than two inches in Jubbulpore and Chhindwara. Harvesting of spring crops has commenced in Seoni, Nimar, Betul, Nagpur, Chanda, and in the districts of Chhattisgarh and Berar. The standing crops have been slightly damaged by hail in Saugor, Damoh, Jubbulpore, Mandla, and Narsinghpur; by insects in Hoshangabad and Bhandara; and by rats in Nimar; wheat is affected by rust in parts of Chanda; the condition of the crops is generally good and prospects are favourable. Fodder and water are adequate. The retail prices of food grains fell in following districts:—wheat by 1 seer per rupee in Mandla and by 2½ seers in Chhindwara; gram by 2 seers in Seoni; rice by 1 seer in Chhindwara; juar by 1 seer in Amraoti and 2½ seers in Buldana; gram became dearer by 3 seers in Balaghat; prices are equal to the scarcity rate in Nimar and exceed it in Chanda, Balaghat and Bilaspur, but rates are generally cheaper than those ruling at this time last year.

**Native States.**—Rainfall measured (in inches) Kawardha 1½ and Kankar 1½; and (in cents) Udaipur 67, Sarangarh 62, Chhuikhadan 51, Sakti 50, Rajnandgaon 46, Raigarh 45, and Khairagarh 40. Hail also fell in Kawardha and Sarangarh but did no damage to the crops. Threshing of rice and *kodon* (millet) and sugarcane pressing are approaching completion and harvesting of spring crops continues. The standing crops are generally in good condition. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices:—wheat 10 to 20; rice 12 to 15; and *kodon* (millet) 18 to 21 seers per rupee.

**Bombay.**—There was rain during the week in parts of Sind, Gujarat, the Konkan, Kathiawar, Palanpur, Cutch, Mahi Kantha, and Rewa Kantha. The fall was beneficial to spring crops in Sind. There has been slight damage to standing crops by insects in parts of Karachi; by locusts in parts of Karachi and Sukkur; by frost or rain in parts of Panch Mahals and Palanpur; by unfavourable winds in parts of Upper Sind Frontier; by dew in parts of Cutch; and crops are withering in parts of the Deccan and Bijapur; crops are generally in good condition elsewhere. Harvesting of spring crops continues in parts of the Deccan. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Gujarat, the Karnatak, Kathiawar, Baroda, Palanpur, Cutch, and Rewa Kantha. Preparation of lands for next season is in progress. The supply of drinking water is generally sufficient. Water for irrigation purposes is adequate except in parts of Nasik, Poona, and Sholapur. Agricultural

stock is sufficient except in Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur and Cutch. The fodder supply is sufficient. The quantity of food grains purchasable per rupee is in the Deccan 101 per cent. above normal to 34 per cent. less than normal and elsewhere normal to 25 per cent. below.

**Hyderabad.**—Rainfall:—five cents. The spring crops have been slightly damaged in parts. The harvest continues. The standing crops are fair to good. Late rice sowings are nearing completion and the crop is being weeded. Prices:—wheat 7½; coarse rice 7½; and juar 16 seers per rupee.

**Mysore.**—Prices of food grains are generally steady. Ploughing and sowing operations are in progress. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—Picking of coffee is almost completed. Threshing of rice continues. Prices of food grains are stationary. Water and fodder are sufficient.

**Madras.**—The rainfall of the week was light in Ganjam, Vizagapatam littoral, Tanjore and Trichonopoly; there was no rain elsewhere. Irrigation supplies are sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Kistna, Bellary, Anantapur, South Arcot, North Arcot, Salem, and Madura. Ploughing, sowing, weeding, and transplanting are in progress in parts. The standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of Madura are withering. Harvests continue with outturn poor to normal and bumper. Pasture is sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Kistna, Bellary, Madura, and South Canara. Fodder is scanty in parts of Kistna, Salem, and Madura. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in ten districts, has fallen in four, and has slightly risen in nine. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*Ragi* is stationary in nine districts; has fallen in four; and has slightly risen in eight. *Cholam* is stationary in six districts; has fallen in three; and has slightly risen in five. *Cumbu* is stationary in six districts; has fallen in two; and has slightly risen in seven.

**Nepal.**—*Report for the quarter ending 15th January 1907.*—The rainfall for the period was 0·10 inch as compared with 0·26, for the corresponding period last year. The rainfall is insufficient for the spring crop.

**November 1906.**—Spring sowings were commenced both in the Nepal Valley and the Terai. Rice was harvested in the Terai; the outturn was not up to the average. Oranges began to ripen in Nepal.

**December 1906.**—The first crop of potatoes was dug; the outturn was very good. Winter vegetables and peas commenced to be sown.

**January 1907.**—Fields are being prepared for sowing the second crop of potatoes.

The health of livestock continues good throughout the country. The prices of food grain are steady and markets well stocked. The weather in the Nepal Valley is not as cold as in previous years, although there was a slight frost in the middle of December.

The number of persons in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks in each Province is shown in the following table:—

Name of Province.	PRECEDING WEEK. (REVISED FIGURES.)			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>BRITISH PROVINCES.</b>							
Eastern Bengal and Assam	...	524	624	...	345	345	—279
Bengal	63,730	16,925	80,655	44,591	16,160	60,751	—19,904
United Provinces of Agra and Oorin.	204	2,757	2,961	217	2,957	3,174	+213
<b>TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES</b>	<b>63,934</b>	<b>20,306</b>	<b>84,240</b>	<b>44,808</b>	<b>19,462</b>	<b>64,270</b>	<b>—19,970</b>

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN THE FIRST HALF OF  
JANUARY 1907 OF

RICE  
WHEAT AND FLOUR  
BARLEY  
JAWAR  
BAJRA  
RAGI  
KANKANI

MAIZE  
GRAM AND PULSES  
LINSEED  
MUSTARD AND RAPSEED  
SESAMUM (Til or jingilli)  
GHI  
SUGAR

SALT  
TOBACCO  
TURMERIC  
GRAM AND STRAW  
JAWAR STALKS  
SHEET AND BOLLOCH

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DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
<b>Burma—</b>												
Tanasserim—			38 55	37 57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mergui	...	...	39 77	39 01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Monlsein	...	...	39 02	35 16	55 55	55 55	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amherst	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—			24 62	25 4	29 63	28 57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	30 78	32 09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	47 41	41 03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—			38 03	39 18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Heosada	...	...	...	31 22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tongoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—			32 16	32 16	25 1	22 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mandalay	...	...	25 73	30 56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—			...	36 36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Eastern Bengal and Assam—</b>												
Eastern—			47 5	36 25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...
Dacca	...	...	52 5	48 75	40	40 02	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—			51 27	40 94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—			62 1	30 67	40 02	35	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—			52 5	57 5	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goalpara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	30	...	45	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>												
Dacca—			40 67	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	42 5	55	37 5	35	...	...	27 5	29 25	...	33 5
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—			45 02	32 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bardwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa—			38 12	30 47	30 47	32 34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—			43 75	20 02	24 57	40	...	...	25	...	20 37	26 75
Patna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, north—			45	31 56	35	40	...	...	28 12	22 5	...	...
Bhagalpur	...	...	50	38 28	36 25	36 25	...	...	26 58	25	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>United Provinces—</b>												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—			23 7	20 26	44 43	36 77	34 27	25 78	41 03	41 43	27 13	25 73
Benares	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 84	23 23
Central—			19 06	23 24	40	30 35	22 65	35 07	37 19	42 09	22 60	30 78
Cawnpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 28	28 85
Jhansi	...	...	38 12	32 5	44 48	30	37 19	...	...	...	16 57	30 21
Western—			...	50	50	28 59	35 16	33 22	38 75	20 74	...	22 19
Morad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	30 21	28 30	70 2	29 27	32 65	40	40	47 03	23 23	20 78	10 78	33 33
Submontane, west—			22 24	22 24	...	...	30 78	40	...	...	23 04	30
Shahjahanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—			22 5	20	44 43	37 5	32 5	40	41 25	47 08	24 06	31 23
Lucknow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 23	20 43
Northern—			23 21	20 34	53 5	42 5	33 28	40	...	...	27 5	35 32
Fyzabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30

\* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

DAJKA		RAGI		MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DAL		LINSRED		DISTRICTS
1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
												Mongol
												Tung
						40.76	40.76	50	50			Moulmein and
												Amherst
						22.22	22.22	29.00	27.59			Pegu (deltaic)—
												Rangoon
						47.06	31.27					Manbin
												Harroin
						42.11	20.79	45.72	45.71			Pegu (inland)—
							20.79					Hensada
												Tonngoo
						31.54	20.33	63.27	43.64			Upper Burma—
						30.78	21.69	3.36	40.25			Mandalay
												Pakokku
						46.88	35.1	06.67	57.14			Arakan—
												Akyab
												Eastern Bengal and
												Assam—
						47.5	35.5	00	50			Eastern—
												Chittagong
						31.25	21.87	18.75	47.6			Dacca
						45	30			60	42.5	Central—
												Pabna
						40	25.5	00	20			Northern—
												Rangpur
												Brahmaputra—
												Gulipara
												Ganhati
												Bengal—
												Dacca—
						32.5	30	57.5	45	48.5	47.5	Midnapur
30	40			26.25	26.25	35	32.5	55	50	51.25	58.75	Calcutta
						31.87	31.87	58.75	45			Central—
												Bardwan
						32.8	25.12	30.17	25.1			Orissa—
												Cuttack
25		25		25.12		25.87	25.75	45	45	50	56.25	Deccan, south—
												Patna
				31.25	27.5	31.25	28.25	50.87	45	50	50	Bihar, north—
				31.25	26.79	30.78	28.50	43.12	40			Bhagalpur
												Muzaffarpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
20.07	20.33			27.71	24.48	20.07	26.25	52.4	44.43		45.25	Eastern—
												Bonara
21.08	21.36			22.54	27.0	20.07	22.80	20.31	21.98	44.43	50	Central—
19.06	21.36			18.13	23.01	30	24.06				50.16	Cawnpore
20.76				22.19	20.67	23.01	26.59					Jaunpur
20.20	36.35			20.48	20.78	25.00	21.85	59.27	47.03	60.78	61.56	Western—
												Morad
25	21.91				22.54	23.39	31.06				50	Agra
												Bahmistan, west—
												Shahjahanpur
24.22	21.98			28.23	27.0	28.23	23.33	44.07	31.87	45.75	50	(b) Oude—
												Faithan—
												Lucknow
25				25	26.72	27.0	30					Northern—
												Fyzabad



## WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF JANUARY—continued

Districts	MUSTARD AND RAPHSEED		SESAMUM (Til or jingili)		GRI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
<b>Burma—</b>												
<i>Tenasserim—</i>												
Mergui . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18-36	18-34	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20-51	20-51	...	...
Moulmein and Aungmye . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18-77	18-77	...	...
<i>Pegu (delta)—</i>												
Rangoon . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19-05	17-89	...	...
Maungmye . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22-45	22-45	...	...
Bhamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22-61	22-61	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>												
Hawm . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22-26	21-99	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24-62	24-24	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>												
Mandalay . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22-7	22-7	...	...
Pakokku . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22-61	24-71	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>												
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	23-22	...	...
<b>Eastern Bengal and Assam—</b>												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Chittagong . . . . .	70	70	...	...	450	390	65	85	27-75	20	65	42-5
Dacca . . . . .	...	...	...	...	420	455	55	55	27-75	27-5	37-5	100
<i>Central—</i>												
Pabna . . . . .	77-5	60	...	...	390	340	32-5	60	26-25	30	70	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Bangpur . . . . .	70	57-5	...	...	470	405	60	37-5	27-5	27-5	75	40
<i>Brakmaputra—</i>												
Goalpara . . . . .	53-5	52-5	...	...	...	...	72-5	72-5	...	...	...	...
Gurmati . . . . .	55	53-75	...	...	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Bengal—</b>												
<i>Delhi—</i>												
Midnapur . . . . .	{ 52-5 and 55 }	{ 50-25 and 52-5 }	...	...	420	395	47-5	55	{ 22-5 and 23-12 }	{ 22-5 and 22-75 }	75 and 100	65 and 80 }
Calcutta . . . . .	55	51-97	60	62-5	490	410	57-5	62-5	21-25	25	85	80
<i>Central—</i>												
Bardwan . . . . .	70	60	...	...	410	360	30	45	22-5	21-25	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>												
Cuttack . . . . .	68	57-5	51-27	53-28	380-94	380-94	25	53-33	21-25	25	60-24	60-91
<i>Bihar, south—</i>												
Patna . . . . .	60	55	52-5	70	200	340	40	45	24-08	25	25	12-5
<i>Bihar, north—</i>												
Bhagalpur . . . . .	47-5	{ 60 and 66-25 }	...	...	303-75	355	38-27	40	24-22	25-31	63-26	60
Munshargarh . . . . .	...	...	...	...	355-62	355-62	40	20-33	20-56	27-5	153-28	80
<b>United Provinces—</b>												
(a) <i>AGRA—</i>												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Benares . . . . .	63-75	52-4	50-41	58-7	426-67	378-59	38-63	44-43	...	...	...	...
<i>Central—</i>												
Gawnpore . . . . .	58-38	48-40	50-27	61-56	400	320	44-43	44-43	...	...	75	70
Jhansi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	355-63	355-67	44-23	50	...	...	...	...
<i>Western—</i>												
Meerut . . . . .	...	58-46	...	...	400	345-94	44-27	58-56	...	...	...	...
Agra . . . . .	76-2	47-93	...	...	400	355-63	51-61	61-56	...	...	...	...
<i>Subsidiary, west—</i>												
Shahjahanpur . . . . .	...	57-18	...	...	400	320	...	...	...	...	190	70
(b) <i>ODDU—</i>												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Lucknow . . . . .	72-5	60-67	...	80	400	340	37-5	45	...	...	70	70
<i>Northern—</i>												
Fyzabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	330	300	38-75	40	...	...	...	...



## WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF JANUARY—continued

Districts	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
<b>Rajputana—</b>												
Eastern— Ajmer . . .	20.67	26.67	...	...	23.33	40.47	...	...	23.96	32.64	30.81	30.76
<b>Punjab—</b>												
Southern— Ferozpur . .	23.12	21.25	40	40	25	34.69	30.63	40	17.84	25	...	...
Central— Lahore . . .	27.03	29.63	57.13	51.81	23.91	31.74	26.63	30.01	15.21	23.49	...	...
South-eastern— Delhi . . .	...	...	47.03	47.03	30.78	30.06	35	43.73	21.04	28.39	20	29.68
Submontane— Amritsar . .	26.43	27.13	43.28	43.28	23.44	31.35	26.77	36.25	...	...	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi .	20	30	58.33	50	22.24	30.39	26.3	32.4	15.36	21.04	17.03	20
Western— Multan . . .	20	20	38.12	35	27.19	23.19	...	...	...	18.75	17.29	23.44
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>												
Karachi . . .	...	...	...	32.75	30.63	...	...	...	20	...	21.87	20.04
Shikarpur . .	...	...	40	32	25.69	30.17	...	...	15.12	22.56	15	20
Quetta . . .	...	...	...	...	30	40	...	...	...	...	...	...
					31.57	43.75	57.19	36.75	23.12	27.5	21.25	26.75
<b>Bombay—</b>												
Deccan and Konkan—												
Dharwar . . .	...	...	41.62	41.04	38.3	...	...	...	...	...	21.04	...
Bholsapur . .	...	...	...	...	39.39	...	...	...	...	...	24.37	30.2
Poona . . .	...	...	47.6	...	42.34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Flanked and N.E.</b>												
Deccan—												
Ahmadnagar .	...	...	...	...	36.2	...	...	...	...	...	23.18	...
Dhule . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25.31	20.32
<b>Gujarat—</b>												
Surat . . .	33.96	21.58	59.46	50	37.5	41.00	...	...	...	...	25.94	31.72
Ahmadabad .	...	...	45	...	33.02	40.01	...	...	18.75	...	...	30.82
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
Western— Nagpur . . .	...	...	39	39	28	31	40	44.37	...	...	26	26.87
Central— Jubbulpore .	...	...	38	38	21.82	36.25	40	44.37	...	...	31	27.5
Eastern— Balpur . . .	...	...	33	33	25	30	34	33.25	...	...	...	...
<b>Bihar—</b>												
Ahola . . .	...	...	48	45.75	30.69	31.5	...	41.62	...	...	20.81	23.5
Amraoti . . .	...	...	47.5	47.5	41.25	38.75	44	42	...	...	21.25	20
<b>Madras—</b>												
South, central—												
Coimbatore .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20.2	25.1
Salem . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Bellary . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23.5	25.3
Cuddalore . .	29.8	32.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	25.5
Karnal . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>East Coast, central—</b>												
Nellore . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>East Coast, south—</b>												
Madras . . .	28.4	27	51.9	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore . . .	30.5	33.3	41.1	44.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Southern—</b>												
Madura . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	13.7
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore . . .	16.47	27.3	49.37	43.97	34.35	53.2	35.68	52.70	...	...	23.02	27.40
Bangalore . .	21.25	22.39	55	49.15	50	33.01	59.33	60.41	...	...	...	...

\* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of cleaned rice or shanadi

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten mounds)

BAJRA		BAOI		MAIZE		GRAM		ABHAR DAL		LIMBED		DISTRICTS
1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	
21.82	20.61	...	...	21.82	23.86	20.2	31.67	...	...	72.71	61.56	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer
...	...	...	...	20	25	21.09	23.72	...	...	...	...	Punjab— Southern— Ferozepur
19.74	22.06	...	...	18.29	25.73	20	26.2	64.01	47.03	58.18	45.78	Central— Lahore
22.54	22.93	...	...	22.51	22.63	22.44	22.63	61.58	50	37.19	39	South-eastern— Delhi
21.04	...	...	...	18.18	24.63	21.04	24.78	...	...	51.25	...	Submontane— Amritsar
18.18	20.41	...	...	19.01	22.22	21.04	26.41	44.43	44.43	50	42.23	Northern— Rawalpindi
...	25.54	...	...	17.19	22.21	21.67	25.94	...	...	...	...	Western— Multan
22.13	24.09	...	...	...	...	25.62	22.19	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan— Karachi
17.21	22.75	...	...	...	...	22.61	...	...	...	...	...	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	22.12	27.5	...	...	70	47.5	...	...	Quetta
25.15	...	...	...	...	...	30.77	...	51.68	47.4	...	...	Bombay— Deccan and Kanadakh— Dharwar
19.43	22.25	...	...	...	...	31.43	...	37.65	...	61.06	51.22	Sholapur
20.23	30.74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	31.01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.E.— Dahanu— Ahmednagar
22.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32.78	...	...	...	Dhule
17.45	24.53	...	...	...	...	27.5	27.5	64.17	58.33	...	...	Gujarat— Surat
22.61	24.25	...	...	...	...	26.67	...	43.25	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	25.62	32	64.62	42	47	47	Central— Jabalpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	25	20	47	26	...	50	Eastern— Bilaspur
...	...	...	...	...	...	31.73	25.3	45.81	27.5	55.36	50	Bihar— Aksai
...	...	...	...	...	...	22.5	23.73	45.72	33.76	45	42.3	Arrah
24.4	31.6	...	...	...	...	47.8	48.9	...	...	...	...	Madras— South, central— Coimbatore
...	...	25.2	26.3	...	...	...	...	22.6	29.4	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	...	...	...	27	37	22.4	...	...	...	Central— Bellary
22.6	26.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddalore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnal
...	...	26.9	30.3	...	...	...	...	45	27.2	...	...	East Coast, central— Nellore
...	...	...	...	...	...	20.2	40.9	...	...	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
...	...	26.7	26.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
21.9	25.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	22.3	20.5	...	...	Southern— Madras
...	...	26.45	27.42	...	...	24.37	22.72	53.48	49.27	...	...	Mysore— Mysore
...	...	27.5	25.71	...	...	40	24.38	54	45.4	...	...	Bangalore

## WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF JANUARY—concluded

Districts	MUSTARD AND RAPHSEED		SESAMUM (Til or Jangh)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Gur)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer . . . . .	...	...	64.01	62.50	436.57	385.23	42.28	55.47	...	...	...	...
Punjab— Southern— Ferozpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	420	385	44.57	50	...	...	80	80
Central— Lahore . . . . .	45.65	41.04	62.17	60.26	433.91	385.19	43.35	53.07	...	...	51.50	56.67
South-eastern— Delhi . . . . .	57.19	51.24	60.27	60.48	443.12	376.25	40	51.56	...	...	50	72.5
Submontane— Amritsar . . . . .	45.49	42.08	65.25	61.51	...	400	41.04	...	...	...	35	...
Northern— Rawalpindi . . . . .	57.19	49.18	56.57	50	400	355.52	50	41.61	...	...	...	...
Western— Multan . . . . .	45.41	42.19	...	52.37	...	...	...	51.56	...	...	...	180
Sind and Baluchistan— Karachi . . . . .	...	50.62	...	...	420, 440	391.25 365	55.75 45	...	...	...	...	...
Bhikarpar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	370 to 50	360 to 430	...	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay— Deccan and Konkan— Dharwar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	55.09	50.35	...	...	...	...
Sholapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	556.67	...	55.29	50.11	...	...	...	...
Poona . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.E. Deccan— Ahmednagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Surat . . . . .	...	...	60.17	58.3	400	...	56.72	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmadabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	350	325	55	65	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur . . . . .	...	...	71	...	485.25	400	...	...	22.25	...	...	...
Central— Jubbulpore . . . . .	47	47	57.15	52.5	320	340	...	...	22.63	30.75	114.27	71.63
Eastern— Raipur . . . . .	...	...	48	50	320	320	...	...	20	22.25	160	200
Berar— Akola . . . . .	58.81	52.26	56.62	54	360	361	...	...	24.5	25	152.37	142.87
Amravati . . . . .	62.5	50	53.75	50	400	380	...	...	24	25	150	170
Madras— South, central— Coimbatore . . . . .	...	...	72.4	76.3	457.3	390.4	26.4	51.2	...	...	119.6	126.6
Salem . . . . .	...	...	...	...	362.1	365.2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central— Bellary . . . . .	...	...	46.4	51.5	412.7	390.9	51.5	63	...	...	...	...
Cuddalore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	394.7	312.6	...	...	...	...	74.1	74
Karnul . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south— Madras . . . . .	...	...	62.5	57.6	427.9	392.1	54.3	63.6	...	...	123.4	115.3
Tanjore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123.4	126.4
Trichinopoly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madura . . . . .	...	...	60.4	75.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	106.6	106.6
Mysore— Mysore . . . . .	...	...	70.55	68.2	427.6	388.58	100.06	43.37	...	...	255.69	260.26
Bangalore . . . . .	...	...	56.25	67.17	445.69	394.27	64.27	55.73	...	...	205.69	221.4

\* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 100 per 10 maunds.

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

TURMERIC		GRASS		STRAW		JAWAR STALKS		SHEEP, PER 200 LB		PLOUGH BULLOCKS, PER PAIR		Districts
1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	
...	...	5.15	5.91	4.73	7.97	4.48	7.97	130	140	85	85	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer
...	...	5.30	5.38	5.78	5	...	5.25	60	50	90	75	Punjab— Southern— Ferozepur
142.94	137.55	10	15.30	5	7.55	5	...	150	200	100	100	Central— Lahore
145.47	114.67	9.67	15.38	5.07	5.91	5.91	14.07	75	75	110	110	South-eastern— Delhi
...	110	...	...	5.73	5.91	...	...	125	85	...	...	Habernia— Amritsar
80	123.98	5	13.33	5	5.67	5.78	5.08	80	50	70	70	North-east— Kawalpindi
...	122.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Western— Malwa
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan— Karachi Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	5.94	11.25	...	...	120 to 400	80 to 200	...	...	Quetta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay— Deccan and Kanadiah— Dharwar Sholapur Poona Khandesh and N.W. Deccan— Ahmednagar Dhule
120.74	...	5.02	...	...	...	5.73	...	...	75	...	...	Gujarat— Barat Ahmedabad
120	...	5.75	...	...	...	...	...	80	80	100	100	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
123.25	110	5.23	...	...	...	...	...	35	35	40	40	Central— Jabalpur
105	87.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	25	Eastern— Raipur
123.75 124	114.25 154	5 6	...	...	...	...	10 10.5	80 55	75 55	75 90	20 20	Bihar— Arrah Amroht
108.8 99.4	56 60	...	...	10.8	7.7	6	4	75†	75†	30	50	Madras— South, central— Chimbatore Salem
85.6 86.6	78 148.7	...	...	...	...	5.3	5.3	80†	80†	100	100	Central— Bellary Chidambur Karnal
...	...	...	...	2.9	1.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, central— Nellore
85.3	80.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	80†	80†	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras Tanjore Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	5.4	5.4	...	...	...	...	40	40	Southern— Madras
109.27	109.08	9.54	11.41	5.74	5.51	5.13	5	100	100	70	70	Mysore— Mysore
111.41	108.88	4.43	5.11	5.1	5.79	...	3.8	100	100	120 to 180	120 to 180	Bengal—

\* Rhinos

† Sheep or goats

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RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF JANUARY 1907 [The figures

RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST												
Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR GURBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Burma—												
Tencasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	10 15	10 15	9 15	9 15	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	...	...	...	...
Moulmein	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Amherst	6 13	6 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	9 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bangoon	12 4	12 4	...	...	14 4	12 12	15 8	14 12	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...
Bassoon	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 2	7 15	7 2	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	11 10	11 10	...	...	...	...
Hennada	...	...	...	...	7 10	7 10	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	8 6	8 6	9 4	9 4	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	9 10	9 5	10 9	9 12	...	...	...	...
Thaystmyo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	14 14	14 14	...	...	11 8	8 4	12 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bamo	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...
Pakokko	...	...	...	...	8 3	8 3	10 2	10 2	12 12	12 12	...	...
Maittha	...	...	...	...	8 14	8 12	10 —	9 14	...	...	...	...
Arun—												
Sandaway	...	...	...	...	11 10	11 10	14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpau	...	...	...	...	11 —	9 —	13 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	10 —	11 —	11 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal and Assam—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 2	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 6	...	...	...	...
Maimansingh	6 2	8 2	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 4	7 2	...	...	...	...
Tippura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 11	...	...	...	...
Dacca	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	8 —	10 8	4 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Patna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 10	7 4	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	10 6	10 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Malda	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	10 —	10 —
Bogra	9 15	9 15	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 14	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Jalpaiguri	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	8 —	8 12	...	...	...	...	7 12	8 —	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	6 12	8 8	...	...	...	...
Seraim—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 —	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar	...	8 —	...	...	7 7	6 14	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Hill tracts—												
Khasi and Jaintia	6 —	6 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	17 —	20 —	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	8 3	8 3	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 3	4 —	8 3	8 —	...	...	...	...
Brachmagutra—												
Godipara	9 4	10 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Kamrup	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	7 —	8 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 2	8 2	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bibbar	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	7 8	7 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...

state the number of sers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAOI ( <i>Eleusine coracana</i> )		KARORI OR KARUN, ITALIAN WHEAT ( <i>Triticum durum</i> )		GRAM, CHHUNNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, ORANUAGA ( <i>Cicer arabianum</i> )		MAISE ( <i>Zea Mays</i> )		ARHAR OR TURU, CADJAN PEA ( <i>Cajanus indicus</i> )		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 14	18 14	Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	17 12	Tonassary—
...	...	...	...	9 5	8 5	...	...	7 9	7 9	18 4	16 4	Mergol
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tav-y
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	6 12	6 12	28 —	18 —	Moulmein
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	12 12	12 —	18 —	18 2	Amherst and
...	...	...	...	7 15	7 15	...	...	...	...	12 8	12 6	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 1	15 1	Pegu
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	Bungoon
...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	7 2	7 2	15 —	15 —	Maubin
...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	8 2	8 2	16 3	16 3	Bassein
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	8 2	8 2	14 8	14 8	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	11 7	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	17 2	16 6	Honnada
...	...	...	...	7 9	7 2	...	...	4 3	4 3	11 1	11 1	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 12	6 8	...	...	10 7	7 15	14 8	14 3	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	15 11	15 11	27 —	27 2	8 10	8 10	16 —	16 2	Thayetmyo
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Bam
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakokka
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malkula
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kyaukpada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Eastern Bengal and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Assam—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bacherganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maunabong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Faridpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Fabun
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cachar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hill tracts—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khasi and Jaintia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Garo Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Majma
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Naga Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lushai Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Brakmapura—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Guljara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kamrup
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darrang
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	New Jang
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shangpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lakhimpur

## RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF JANUARY 1907—continued [The figures

Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLEM (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CHHOTO (Pennisetum typhoides)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
Bengal—												
Dacca—							8 —	8 8				
Khulna . . . .							9 —	8 —				
24-Parganas . .	10 —	10 —					8 8	8 8				
Midnapur . . . .	10 —	10 —					8 4	8 14				
Howrah . . . . .							8 14	8 8			13 —	11 0
Calcutta . . . . .	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 —			7 8	7 8				
Roohly . . . . .	18 8	12 4					7 9	8 —				
Nadia (Krishnagar) .	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —			7 —	8 —				
Jessore . . . . .												
Central—												
Bankura . . . . .	11 —	11 —					8 —	8 —				
Bardwan . . . . .							8 8	8 4				
Birbhum . . . . .	9 —	9 —					8 4	8 4				
Murshidabad . . .	11 —	11 —	13 8	8 —			8 8	8 13				
South Parganas . .	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —			10 —	10 —				
Billo—												
Darjeeling . . . .	5 —		6 8				6 8	8 —				
Orissa—												
Puri . . . . .	10 8	9 13					9 13	10 8				
Cuttack . . . . .	13 2	11 13					10 8	11 21				
Balasore . . . . .	11 12	11 12					10 —	10 —				
Sambalpur . . . .	13 4	13 4					11 —	11 8				
Chota Nagpur—												
Bhogbhum . . . . .	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —			9 —	10 —				
Manbhum . . . . .	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —			10 —	9 —				
Ranchi . . . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —			10 —	11 —				
Palamu . . . . .	10 2	10 11	13 8	13 8			10 2	9 9				
Hasaribagh . . . .	10 —	10 —	13 8	13 8			9 —	9 —				
Bihar, south—												
Monghyr . . . . .	11 13	11 34					8 8	8 12				
Gaya . . . . .	11 4	11 4	14 5	15 6			9 11	9 2	14 5	13 9		
Patna . . . . .	11 8	11 8	15 —	15 6			9 —	9 8	13 6	14 —	15 —	15 —
Benhabad . . . . .	11 —	10 8	13 —	11 —			10 12	to				
Bihar, north—												
Patna . . . . .	9 —	10 —					6 8	8 —				
Bhagalpur . . . . .	11 6	11 6	14 —	12 10			7 —	7 8				
Darbhanga . . . .	11 —	11 —	13 6	13 3			8 14	8 14				
Muzaffarpur . . . .	10 8	10 8	14 —	13 —			8 9	8 9				
Baran . . . . .	12 —	12 —	14 —	16 —			8 6	8 8				
Champaran . . . . .	11 —	11 —	13 8	13 —			9 4	9 4				
United Provinces:												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur . . . . .	11 8	11 —	14 8	15 —	6 —	6 —	9 8	9 8	16 8	16 8	15 —	14 8
Bongora . . . . .	11 6	11 2	13 13	13 9	6 6	6 6	9 11	8 11	14 6	14 10	14 11	14 21
Ghazipur . . . . .	11 —	11 —	12 14	12 14	6 10	6 10	9 12	8 12	14 8	14 8	13 8	14 8
Jaunpur . . . . .	10 8	9 —	12 8	12 —	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	13 8	13 —
Allahabad . . . . .	10 8	10 8	14 —	13 8	6 —	5 8	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	16 —	15 8
Central—												
Banda . . . . .	13 —	11 12	14 —	14 —	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	23 —	23 —	19 —	18 —
Batapur . . . . .	10 4	10 —	13 8	13 —	7 —	8 8	9 8	9 8	22 —	22 —	17 —	16 —
Hamirpur . . . . .	11 —	11 —	14 4	14 4	6 —	6 —	8 8	8 —	24 —	24 —	20 8	20 8
Jalau . . . . .	11 4	11 4	12 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	7 8	7 8	25 —	25 —	21 —	21 —
Cawnpore . . . . .	11 12	11 8	17 —	16 6			9 8	9 8	19 6	19 6	15 —	14 —
Jhansi . . . . .	13 2	12 12	17 5	16 3	6 8	6 6	7 4	8 4	24 6	22 11	20 12	19 3
Etawah . . . . .	11 4	11 4	16 4	15 4	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	20 8	19 8	16 12	15 13
Farrukhabad . . . .	11 8	11 8	17 —	16 6	5 4	5 4	9 8	9 —	18 13	17 —	17 9	16 —
Mainpuri . . . . .	12 —	11 8	16 4	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	16 8	16 8	16 8
Etah . . . . .	12 6	11 8	15 —	15 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	16 8	15 4	15 8	15 —
Western—												
Meerut . . . . .	13 8	12 —	18 8	18 4	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	17 8	16 8	16 8	16 —
Agra . . . . .	11 12	11 12	16 12	16 4	5 4	5 4	8 4	8 4	18 12	18 4	16 12	15 12
Muttra . . . . .	11 12	11 12	16 9	16 —	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	19 5	19 —	17 2	16 —
Aligarh . . . . .	12 8	11 12	15 —	14 —	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	17 —	16 8	16 4	15 —
Bulandshahr . . . .	14 —	12 8	19 —	16 —	5 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	19 —	16 —	18 8	15 8
Submontane, east—												
Ballia . . . . .	11 4	11 4	13 4	13 —	6 4	6 4	8 —	8 —	13 13	13 13	13 13	13 8
Assamgarh . . . . .	11 7	11 7	13 12	13 12	6 13	6 13	8 —	8 —	15 —	13 13	14 —	12 6
Gorakhpur . . . . .	11 4	11 4	15 4	13 4	7 10	7 10	9 10	9 10	15 4	14 13	14 6	14 6
Bar . . . . .	11 10	11 10	14 —	14 —	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 4	15 4	15 —	15 —	14 4

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MARWA OR BAGI (Eleusine coracana)		KANONI OR NAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR KUNAGA (Cicer arabianum)		MAHLE (Zea Mays)		ABHAR OR THUR, OAJAN PRA (Ononis indica)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
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...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	12 12	11 4	18 —	16 —	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
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20 —	20 —	...	...	13 12	13 —	17 —	16 —	8 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Etah
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## RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF JANUARY 1907—continued (The figures

Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLUM (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR OUMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Best sort	Common	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces—												
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(a) Agra—continued												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahanpur	13 —	13 —	17 —	17 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 —	19 —	16 —
Budaun	11 4	11 12	14 4	14 4	5 —	5 —	8 4	8 —	15 —	15 —	18 8	15 8
Filibit	13 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 8	9 6	16 8	16 4	19 8	17 12
Bareilly	13 4	13 4	16 4	16 8	5 4	5 4	10 2	10 2	19 8	19 —	17 10	17 —
Moradabad	13 8	13 8	16 12	16 8	5 —	5 —	8 4	8 4	17 9	17 8	17 9	17 6
Aligarh	13 —	13 8	16 8	16 —	4 8	4 8	8 4	8 4	17 8	17 8	17 11	17 2
Muzaffarnagar	14 5	14 5	19 13	19 4	8 13	8 13	9 14	9 14	17 9	17 8	17 9	17 6
Saharanpur	14 —	14 15	19 5	18 12	8 8	8 8	8 9	8 9	17 8	17 8	17 11	17 2
Dehra-Dun	13 —	13 6	16 8	17 —	5 8	5 8	8 4	8 —	14 —	14 —	15 —	14 8
Hills—												
Nauni Tal	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	10 —	10 —
Almora	11 —	11 —	13 8	13 8	4 8	4 8	9 4	9 8	...	...	...	...
Garhwal	14 —	14 —	18 —	18 —	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
(b) Oude—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	11 8	11 8	14 8	14 8	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 8	13 —	14 8
Sultanpur	12 —	12 8	15 8	15 8	7 —	7 —	10 8	11 —	16 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Rae-Bareilly	11 8	11 8	15 —	15 —	5 —	5 —	11 —	10 8	16 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Unao	11 12	11 4	14 8	14 8	5 4	5 4	9 4	9 4	16 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Lucknow	12 4	12 —	16 8	16 —	4 12	4 12	8 8	8 8	16 8	16 —	14 —	14 —
Hardoi	13 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Northern—												
Ryebad	12 —	12 —	14 8	15 8	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	15 8	14 8	16 —	15 8
Bamhaski	13 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	7 —	7 —	8 4	8 4	16 —	16 —	14 8	14 8
Gonda	12 4	12 —	15 12	15 4	...	...	8 4	8 4	14 4	14 4	14 4	14 4
Bahraich	12 8	12 8	16 —	16 —	8 8	8 8	9 8	9 8	16 8	16 —	14 8	14 8
Sitapur	12 8	12 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	17 —	17 —	16 —	16 —
Rheri	13 —	13 8	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	9 —	19 —	19 8	16 —	16 8
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Partabgarh	10 12	10 14	11 8	11 8	5 8	5 8	6 12	6 12	21 8	24 4	...	...
Bikaner	10 8	10 8	12 —	12 —	4 —	4 8	7 —	7 —	17 15	17 15	12 14	12 14
Mewar (Udaipur)	10 12	10 15	14 18	14 18	7 —	7 —	7 13	7 12	17 15	17 15	12 14	12 14
Hilly Tracts of Mewar (Dungarpur)	11 12	12 —	19 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Ajmer	12 8	12 4	16 11	16 24	6 8	6 8	8 8	8 24	19 11	18 104	18 8	17 24
Kishangarh	13 —	13 12	17 —	16 8	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	23 —	19 8	19 —	16 12
Bundi	14 7	14 7	25 7	25 6	7 —	7 —	10 —	9 4	33 8	35 7	17 8	...
Kotah	11 10	11 8	14 4	14 4	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	25 —	22 —	14 —	18 —
Jhalwar	11 4	11 8	15 —	14 3	6 10	6 10	8 8	8 8	19 —	19 4	14 6	15 12
Tonk	10 —	9 15	14 13	14 8	4 9	4 10	5 11	5 12	18 10	17 11	10 —	15 12
Jalpur	16 12	10 14	18 9	18 1	5 10	5 11	6 8	6 10	22 9	21 8	20 5	19 8
Karauli	9 11	10 15	22 8	22 8	6 12	10 —	10 —	11 4	24 1	25 —	25 12	24 1
Dholpur	11 6	11 8	17 —	17 8	6 8	6 8	8 8	8 8	22 —	22 —	22 8	22 8
Bharatpur	11 12	11 7	17 4	17 34	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	20 8	20 8	18 8	18 8
Alwar	12 4	12 6	20 —	18 15	6 3	6 3	8 8	8 8	23 1	22 1	23 4	21 7
Deoli	11 10	10 8	16 8	16 10	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	24 —	23 8	21 6	21 —
Nagarabad	12 8	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	19 —	18 —	17 —
Banswara	9 12	9 12	18 —	14 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	23 —	18 —	14 —	15 12
Western—												
Bikaner	11 —	11 8	18 —	17 8	3 4	3 —	6 4	6 —	...	...	18 8	18 8
Jaisalmer	9 12	10 1	...	...	5 6	5 9	7 11	7 14	14 8	14 11	18 8	18 12
Jodhpur	9 5	9 8	...	...	5 6	5 —	5 4	7 8	16 10	16 14	18 12	18 14
Balmer	11 9	11 10	16 6	16 2	5 —	5 —	5 4	7 8	16 10	16 14	18 12	18 14
Kriyapuri	10 12	10 4	15 3	15 —	6 —	6 —	7 2	7 2	14 12	15 —	16 12	17 8
Shrohi	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 4	5 —	5 4	7 —	7 —	16 —	15 —	16 —	15 8
Andhra	11 8	11 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 12	...	...	16 8	16 8
Ala	12 12	12 12	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 12	...	...	16 8	16 8
Central India—												
Indore	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	5 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	16 8	16 —	14 —	14 —
Nimach	12 3	12 3	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 4	8 4	20 —	20 —	15 —	15 —
Gwalior	11 8	11 8	18 13	14 —	5 14	6 —	6 8	6 8	23 —	21 —	22 4	22 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	18 13	18 8	21 —	20 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	19 3	19 8	18 8	18 8
Ferozepur	15 —	15 —	22 —	22 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Central—												
Lahore	16 4	16 4	25 12	25 —	...	...	8 9	8 12	30 12	30 12	19 12	19 4
Gujranwala	16 —	16 —	27 8	25 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	20 —	17 —	18 —	18 —
Gujrat	18 —	18 —	24 —	23 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	23 —	24 —	23 —	23 —
Thana	18 —	18 —	24 —	24 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	21 —	21 —

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MANGA OR BARI (Eleusine coruana)		KANKONI OR KANKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (Cicer aristinum)		MAISEN (Zea Mays)		ABHAR OR THUR, CADIAN PBA (Cajanus indicus)		SALT		Distances
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
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16 --	16 --	...	...	14 --	14 --	16 --	16 --	7 8	7 8	12 --	12 --	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 --	12 --	6 --	6 --	8 --	8 --	Muzaffarnagar
14 --	14 --	...	...	10 --	10 8	...	...	6 --	6 --	11 --	11 4	Saharanpur
20 --	20 --	21 --	21 --	9 --	9 --	...	...	4 2	4 2	8 --	8 --	Dehra-Dun
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16 --	16 8	...	...	13 --	13 --	...	...	7 --	7 --	12 --	12 --	Maini Tal
18 --	18 --	...	...	14 8	14 4	...	...	7 8	7 --	12 --	12 --	Almora
18 --	18 --	14 --	14 --	13 --	13 --	14 --	14 --	7 --	7 --	12 --	12 --	Gardwal
16 --	16 --	12 --	12 --	13 12	13 --	14 --	14 --	6 8	6 8	12 --	12 --	(b) OUDH--
20 --	20 --	15 --	15 --	13 8	13 8	14 --	14 --	6 12	7 --	14 2	14 2	Southern--
...	...	19 --	19 --	15 --	15 --	15 --	15 --	7 --	7 8	15 --	15 --	Partabgarh
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16 --	16 4	12 8	12 4	13 --	13 --	16 --	16 8	7 --	7 --	14 --	14 --	Eaz-Bareilly
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...	...	...	...	23 8	22 8	30 8	29 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Mewar (Dungarpur)
...	...	...	...	24 8	23 8	31 8	30 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	25 8	24 8	32 8	31 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	26 8	25 8	33 8	32 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Bundi
...	...	...	...	27 8	26 8	34 8	33 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Kotah
...	...	...	...	28 8	27 8	35 8	34 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Jhalawar
...	...	...	...	29 8	28 8	36 8	35 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Tonk
...	...	...	...	30 8	29 8	37 8	36 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	31 8	30 8	38 8	37 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Kanali
...	...	...	...	32 8	31 8	39 8	38 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	33 8	32 8	40 8	39 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Baranagar
...	...	...	...	34 8	33 8	41 8	40 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Alwar
...	...	...	...	35 8	34 8	42 8	41 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Dooli
...	...	...	...	36 8	35 8	43 8	42 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Nasirabad
...	...	...	...	37 8	36 8	44 8	43 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Shahpura
...	...	...	...	38 8	37 8	45 8	44 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Western--
...	...	...	...	39 8	38 8	46 8	45 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	40 8	39 8	47 8	46 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	41 8	40 8	48 8	47 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Jodhpur
...	...	...	...	42 8	41 8	49 8	48 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Balmer
...	...	...	...	43 8	42 8	50 8	49 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Uripur
...	...	...	...	44 8	43 8	51 8	50 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Sirohi
...	...	...	...	45 8	44 8	52 8	51 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Amber
...	...	...	...	46 8	45 8	53 8	52 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Abu
...	...	...	...	47 8	46 8	54 8	53 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Central India--
...	...	...	...	48 8	47 8	55 8	54 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Indore
...	...	...	...	49 8	48 8	56 8	55 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Nitroch
...	...	...	...	50 8	49 8	57 8	56 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Gwalior
...	...	...	...	51 8	50 8	58 8	57 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Punjab--
...	...	...	...	52 8	51 8	59 8	58 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Southern--
...	...	...	...	53 8	52 8	60 8	59 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Hisar
...	...	...	...	54 8	53 8	61 8	60 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Ferozepur
...	...	...	...	55 8	54 8	62 8	61 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Central--
...	...	...	...	56 8	55 8	63 8	62 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Lahore
...	...	...	...	57 8	56 8	64 8	63 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	58 8	57 8	65 8	64 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Quetta
...	...	...	...	59 8	58 8	66 8	65 8	...	...	13 5	13 5	Jhelum

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Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE		JAWAR OR OROLUM (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR COMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
					Best sort		Common			
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
<b>Punjab—continued</b>										
<i>South-eastern—</i>										
Gurgaon . . . . .	12 14	12 10	19 4	19 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	31 8	31 8
Delhi . . . . .	18 —	12 19	18 8	18 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	19 —	15 8
Rohtak . . . . .	14 —	14 —	19 —	19 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	28 —	21 —
Karnal . . . . .	12 12	14 4	21 8	21 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	22 8	17 —
<i>Submontane—</i>										
Ambala . . . . .	15 2	15 8	19 8	19 8	...	...	9 8	9 8	19 8	17 8
Ludhiana . . . . .	16 —	16 —	22 —	21 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	20 —	15 —
Jalandhar . . . . .	15 4	16 —	21 8	21 5	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	13 —
Hoshiarpur . . . . .	15 12	16 —	19 —	19 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	13 —
Gurdaspur . . . . .	16 —	18 —	21 —	21 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	13 —
Amritsar . . . . .	16 12	17 —	23 —	23 —	...	...	9 —	9 4	17 8	15 —
Bialkot . . . . .	19 —	17 —	25 8	24 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	21 —
<i>Hills—</i>										
Simla . . . . .	11 4	11 4	18 8	18 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	12 8
Kangra . . . . .	17 —	17 —	24 —	24 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>										
Hawalpindi . . . . .	17 8	17 —	25 8	25 8	...	...	7 12	7 12	22 —	21 8
Attock . . . . .	17 —	17 —	26 —	26 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	26 —	21 —
<i>Western—</i>										
Shikhar . . . . .	18 8	18 12	26 —	26 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	20 —	21 —
Jhang . . . . .	18 8	16 —	26 —	26 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	26 —	19 —
Lyallpur . . . . .	16 12	16 12	25 8	25 —	...	...	8 4	8 4	24 —	20 8
Multan . . . . .	14 8	14 4	23 8	23 8	...	...	10 4	10 4	22 12	18 12
Montgomery . . . . .	16 8	17 —	23 8	24 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	24 —	20 —
Muzaffargarh . . . . .	15 8	15 8	21 —	21 —	...	...	8 4	8 4	19 —	17 —
Dera Ghazi Khan . . . . .	14 8	14 6	20 10	20 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	20 —	19 6
<b>N.W. Frontier Province—</b>										
Harara . . . . .	14 —	14 —	23 8	21 4	4 4	4 4	8 8	8 8	24 —	24 —
Peshawar . . . . .	16 —	16 —	26 —	24 —	5 12	5 12	8 10	8 12	22 —	22 —
Kohat . . . . .	17 6	17 4	24 14	24 4	6 2	6 2	10 14	10 14	...	21 11
Bannu . . . . .	19 6	18 12	22 11	22 10	11 4	11 4	12 8	12 8	26 7	23 2
Dera Ismael Khan . . . . .	15 2	14 7	23 —	21 7	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	28 2	26 2
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>										
Karachi . . . . .	18 —	18 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —
Hyderabad . . . . .	18 —	11 8	...	...	6 8	6 —	9 8	8 —	16 —	17 —
Thar and Parkar . . . . .	15 8	15 8	...	...	11 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	...	18 8
(Unmarkot)	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	21 —	20 —
Shikhar . . . . .	12 8	12 8	...	...	6 8	7 —	7 —	8 —	20 —	20 —
Upper Sind Frontier . . . . .	12 8	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 —	21 —
Quetta . . . . .	13 —	12 8	16 8	16 8	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	18 —	14 —
<b>Bombay—</b>										
<i>Konkan—</i>										
Karwar . . . . .	8 11	8 11	...	...	5 6	8 6	11 2	11 2	...	12 9
Ratnagiri . . . . .	7 7	7 7	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	...	14 12
Alibag . . . . .	7 6	7 6	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 14	9 14	...	14 9
Bombay . . . . .	10 6	10 6	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 7	8 7	15 6	14 9
Tansa . . . . .	9 2	9 2	...	...	8 5	8 5	9 4	9 4	...	12 10
<i>Deccan and Karnatak—</i>										
Dharwar . . . . .	9 7	10 6	...	...	10 11	10 4	11 8	10 11	19 —	17 1
Belgaum . . . . .	8 10	9 2	...	...	9 7	8 7	10 8	10 8	15 10	15 10
Batara . . . . .	9 1	9 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	8 11	8 11	15 14	15 8
Bhalspur . . . . .	9 6	9 6	...	...	6 15	6 15	8 8	8 8	15 3	15 10
Bijapur . . . . .	9 5	9 12	...	...	7 15	7 15	9 6	8 14	15 14	17 10
Poona . . . . .	8 5	8 5	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 15	7 15	14 2	15 4
<i>Khondesh and N.E.</i>										
<i>Deccan—</i>										
Ahmadnagar . . . . .	10 2	10 2	...	...	8 2	8 2	9 1	9 1	15 8	16 8
Nasik . . . . .	10 7	11 14	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 15	8 15	...	16 8
Dhulia . . . . .	10 1	10 8	...	...	8 6	8 6	7 8	7 8	16 14	15 6
<i>Gujarat—</i>										
Surat . . . . .	9 4	9 4	...	...	5 9	8 —	6 15	7 6	14 12	14 12
Broach . . . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 8	9 8	14 —	15 8
Kaira . . . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 2	8 8	9 8	9 8	20 —	17 —
Baroda . . . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —
Ahmadabad . . . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	15 —
Godhra . . . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 —	...	14 —
Una . . . . .	11 8	11 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	7 —	7 —	19 —	16 —
<i>Kathiawar—</i>										
Rajkot . . . . .	11 8	11 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 8	7 8	19 —	19 —
<b>Central Provinces—</b>										
<i>Western—</i>										
Nagpur . . . . .	12 —	12 —	...	...	5 12	5 12	8 2	8 2	20 5	...
Hoshangabad . . . . .	12 12	12 12	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 10	7 10	17 —	...
Betul . . . . .	16 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	17 12	...
Chhindwara . . . . .	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	11 7	11 7	18 —	...
Nagpur . . . . .	12 12	12 12	...	...	8 4	8 4	10 —	10 —	14 7	...
Wardha . . . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	13 10	...



state the number of sars (of 50 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee)

MARWA OR BAET (Eleusine coronata)		KANERI OR KAKRU, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNDRA (Oryza aristata)		MAHES (Ses Mays)		ANBAR OR THOR, CADIAN PRA (Cajanus indicus)		SALT		Districts
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	16 2	15 14	16 —	16 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	17 —	Panjab—continued
...	...	...	...	16 8	16 —	16 8	16 —	6 —	6 —	18 8	16 8	South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	17 —	16 8	18 —	19 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	15 8	Gurgaon
...	...	...	...	16 14	15 14	16 8	18 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Delhi
25 —	25 8	16 —	15 —	16 4	15 12	16 4	16 —	11 6	11 6	19 6	18 8	Rohtak
...	...	16 —	14 —	16 —	17 8	20 8	19 —	8 8	8 —	19 —	19 —	Karnal
...	...	14 —	14 —	17 8	17 8	19 —	19 —	...	...	19 8	19 6	Submontane—
...	...	8 —	8 —	17 4	17 4	18 —	18 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	16 8	17 —	19 —	20 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	Ludhiana
...	...	15 —	15 —	18 8	18 8	21 —	19 —	...	...	20 8	20 8	Jalandhar
...	...	...	...	19 —	19 —	22 —	22 —	...	...	20 8	20 8	Hoshiarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Guridaspur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bialkot
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kila
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kangra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rawalpindi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Attock
20 —	20 —	14 —	14 —	22 —	22 —	20 —	20 —	6 —	6 —	19 —	18 —	Western—
26 —	26 —	30 —	30 —	20 —	20 —	25 —	25 —	13 —	13 —	18 —	18 —	Shikhar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jhang
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lyallpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Multan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ghazi Khan
...	...	14 4	14 8	14 8	14 4	21 —	21 8	5 8	5 8	15 —	14 4	N.W. Frontier Province
...	...	18 —	17 —	17 —	16 —	22 —	21 —	9 2	9 2	18 —	18 —	Haridwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Peshawar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kohat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bannu
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karachi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Thar and Parkar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Umarkot)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shikhar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
15 6	15 6	...	...	10 12	10 12	...	...	8 2	8 2	16 —	16 —	Bombay—
11 12	11 12	...	...	9 10	10 5	...	...	6 12	6 12	17 9	17 9	Konkan—
11 4	11 4	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	6 2	7 —	18 11	18 11	Karwar
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	8 15	8 15	14 11	14 11	Bhatnagiri
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	8 3	8 3	17 8	17 8	Alibag
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanna
17 —	15 —	...	...	10 10	8 14	...	...	9 5	8 14	17 11	17 11	Deccan and Karnatak—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	17 3	17 3	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	11 9	11 9	...	...	9 2	9 2	18 15	18 15	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 3	12 3	...	...	9 15	9 15	15 —	15 —	Satara
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	9 10	10 1	15 9	14 12	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 1	7 2	18 6	18 6	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.E.
19 8	19 8	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	9 2	9 2	17 14	17 14	Dewani
...	...	...	...	11 5	12 —	...	...	7 5	8 10	18 12	18 12	Ahmadnagar
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 14	...	...	7 12	8 11	15 8	15 8	Nasik
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dhule
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Broach
15 —	30 —	...	...	12 3	12 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kaira
17 —	17 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	Baroda
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmadabad
20 —	20 —	...	...	14 9	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godhra
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dias
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajkot
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provinces—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nimar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Betul
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wardha

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					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half-month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
<i>continued</i>												
<b>Central—</b>												
Narsinghpur	14 2	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 2	8 15	19 —	21 5	...	...
Sagar	13 12	13 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	21 6	20 3	...	...
Damoh	13 12	12 12	...	...	9 2	9 2	9 6	9 6	21 6	21 6	...	...
Jubbulpore	13 —	12 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 6	18 —	19 —	...	...
Mandla	14 12	16 11	...	...	9 —	10 —	12 —	14 —	...	...	...	...
Boni	14 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	19 6	...	...	...
Bilaspur	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 4	8 4	12 8	11 6	...	...	...	...
Rhandana	11 4	11 4	...	...	8 4	8 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Chanda	8 15	10 —	...	...	8 15	8 15	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Bilaspur	14 4	14 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Raipur	15 —	15 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 —	11 4	...	...	...	...
Drug	15 9	16 8	...	...	12 7	12 2	12 12	14 10	...	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>												
Buldana	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Akola	9 9	9 9	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 8	7 15	18 5	18 4	...	...
Amraoti	8 7	9 7	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	6 11	18 5	16 —	...	...
Yeshwantpur	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8	16 —	17 —	...	...
<b>Nizam's Territories—</b>												
Secunderabad	7 7	7 11	9 10	10 7	5 1	5 2	7 5	7 11	12 15	12 12	15 12	16 10
<b>Madras—</b>												
<i>continued</i>												
<b>Malabar Coast—</b>												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	...	...
<b>South, central—</b>												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	14 15	17 4	16 7	16 7
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	14 15	17 4	16 7	16 7
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	13 15	12 9	12 —	12 —
<b>Central—</b>												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	16 13	16 5	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	18 10	16 10	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	14 8	14 8	17 2	17 2
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	18 1	18 11	...	...
<b>East Coast, north—</b>												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatnam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 11	...	...	15 13	15 13
Godavari	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	14 4	14 4	...	...
<b>East Coast, central—</b>												
Rajahmundry	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	8 4	12 8	12 8	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 14	8 4	14 10	14 2	14 —	12 12
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 7	14 9	14 9	12 —	14 —
<b>East coast, south—</b>												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 2	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 2	10 12	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 —	...	...	11 10	10 4
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 1	...	...	12 5	12 5
<b>Trichinopoly</b>												
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	7 7	12 9	17 4	14 4	14 4
<b>Southern—</b>												
Tinnevely	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 10	9 2	14 14	13 2	12 5	12 5
Madurai	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	12 5	14 2	12 5	12 5
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore	7 16	6 12	6 12	5 9	9 —	7 5	10 6	8 7	18 6	18 —	...	...
Bangalore	8 6	8 4	...	...	6 —	6 10	8 1	8 2	...	...	...	...
Kolar	7 —	7 —	7 8	6 —	6 8	7 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	11 —	16 —	...
Tumkur	7 —	6 8	7 —	6 —	7 —	6 8	8 —	7 4	20 —	14 —	...	...
Hassan	7 —	7 8	7 —	7 8	9 —	9 —	10 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Wadur	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Shimoga	7 6	7 8	7 8	6 4	8 7	8 8	9 7	10 6	16 12	19 8	...	...
Chitaldrug	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	20 —	20 —
<b>Goorg—</b>												
Goorg	6 12	7 —	8 4	6 8	9 8	8 —	11 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
<b>Aden</b>												
Aden	6 10	8 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	6 4	6 4	12 7	12 7	12 7	12 7

state the number of sers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee)

MARWA OR RASI (Sanskrit corruption)		KAWRI OR KAKRI, ITALIAN MILLET (Sanskrit Italian)		GRAM, CHENNA, KADALAY, OR KUNAGA (Sanskrit Ariston)		MAIRI (Sanskrit Mey)		ARRAR OR THUR, OARJAN PRA (Ojjanu indian)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	14 2	14 —	...	...	8 18	8 18	13 18	13 18	Central Provinces— continued
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Central—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	7 2	7 2	13 12	13 12	Nazimghar
...	...	...	...	12 —	14 —	...	...	5 8	7 —	12 —	12 —	Sangor
...	...	...	...	14 7	15 —	...	...	7 18	7 12	12 —	11 8	Damoh
...	...	...	...	10 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 11	10 11	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 8	7 —	12 —	12 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	8 12	8 12	13 —	13 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 15	8 15	13 6	13 6	Dalaghat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhandara
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 11	10 11	Chanda
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	10 2	11 8	...	...	10 —	10 10	13 2	13 2	Bilaspur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajpur
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 8	8 —	14 —	14 —	Drug
...	...	...	...	13 10	13 11	...	...	8 9	8 12	15 —	15 —	Berar—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 7	8 1	14 —	14 —	Buldah
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 8	13 8	Akola
14 14	17 9	...	...	9 6	9 14	...	...	13 11	13 15	11 5	11 9	Amratoli
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Yestmal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nizam's Territories—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Secunderabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malabar Coast—
16 4	16 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 10	16 2	Malabar
13 11	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 8	17 6	S. Canara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	South, central—
15 8	15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 14	14 14	Coimbatore
15 12	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 12	13 8	Nilgiris
15 8	15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	Salem
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central—
14 15	14 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	Bellary
13 10	13 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	Anantapur
13 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	Chittoor
18 4	14 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 11	13 11	Karnul
14 12	14 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	18 13	East Coast, north—
18 11	12 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 2	13 3	Guntur
11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Vizagapatam
12 8	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godavari
12 2	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 4	20 4	East Coast, central—
12 8	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Kistna
14 7	14 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 9	20 9	Guntur
16 4	14 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 9	20 9	Nellore
18 4	18 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 9	20 9	East Coast, south—
18 4	18 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 7	21 7	Madras
18 4	18 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 3	18 4	Chingleput
17 —	17 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 3	18 4	N. Arcot
14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 1	19 8	S. Arcot
15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 10	18 2	Tanjore
16 —	16 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Tiruchinopoly
18 13	18 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 4	18 4	Southern—
16 —	16 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 14	18 14	Tinnevely
17 —	17 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kolar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tamkar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hassan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kadur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chikmagalur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chitaldrug
17 —	17 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Coorg—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Coorg
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Aden

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay PRESIDENCY AND SAND.	Central.	Khandesh District . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	128(a)	128(a)
		Nashik . . . . .	" . . . . .	11	9
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Sholapur District . . . . .	G. I. P., S. M. & Darsi . . . . .	000	000
		Alibag Port . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	1	1
		Moa . . . . .	G. I. P. & B., R. & C. I. . . . .	000	000
		Panvel . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	000	000
		Mahad . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Ratol . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Roba . . . . .	G. I. P. & R. M. . . . .	000	000
		Ashtami . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Raydanda . . . . .	B., R. & C. I. . . . .	000	000
		Kolaba District . . . . .	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I. . . . .	11	000
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	000	000
		Vasodrug . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Harnai . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
	Northern.	Bejapur . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Vengurda . . . . .	" . . . . .	1	000
		Malwan . . . . .	" . . . . .	1	1
		Jathapur . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Dabhal . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Joigad . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Devgad . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Ratnagiri District . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	10	12
		Belgaum . . . . .	" . . . . .	60	45
		Dharwar . . . . .	" . . . . .	15	8
		Karwar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Kuata . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Kanara District . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Savantvadi State . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
	Sind.	Karachi Town and Port . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	50	50
		Karachi District . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Hyderabad Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Hyderabad District . . . . .	" & J. B. . . . .	000	000
		Larkhana . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Thar and Parkar District . . . . .	J. B. . . . .	000	000
		Sukkar District . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	000	000
	Political Charge.	Khairpur State . . . . .	N. W. & J. B. . . . .	000	000
		Abalkot State . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	000	000
		Anandh . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. M. . . . .	000	000
		Phaltan . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000
		Tuna Port . . . . .	Tuna-Anjar . . . . .	000	000
		Mundra . . . . .	" . . . . .	000	000

(a) Of these 141 seizures and 67 deaths occurred in East Khandesh and the rest in West Khandesh.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SINDH.	Political Charge.	Jukra Port . . . . .	Tuna-Anjar . . . . .	...	...
		Camby Port . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	4	2
		Camby State . . . . .	" . . . . .	28	28
		Mandvi Port . . . . .	Tuna-Anjar . . . . .	...	...
		Cutch State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Savakar . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	...	...
		Bhor . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	7	7
		Mongrol Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	4	1
		Forbandar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Bhavnagar Town and Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	10	7
		Jamnagar . . . . .	" . . . . .	82	17
		Mahwa Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Jafrahad . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Vavanla . . . . .	" Morvi (Sec.) . . . . .	...	...
		Kathinwar Agency . . . . .	B., B. & C. I., Morvi & B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	146	108
		Kothapur Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	14	14
		Kothapur and Southern Mahanadi Country . . . . .	" . . . . .	207	181
		Sachin State . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Dharapur State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Srivardhan Port . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. M. . . . .	...	...
		Murad . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	...	...
		Barimandla . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Nandgaon . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	...	...
		Majagaon . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Rajapuri . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	...	...
		Janjira Port . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	...	...
		Janjira State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Vela Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Baroda City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	8	8
		Dwarka Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	25	15
		Bel Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Kodinar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Baroda State . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	436	300
		Sahara . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	12	6
		Jath . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Burna . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Aden . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL		2,610	2,471
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	I	Madras City . . . . .	Madras & S. L. . . . .	...	...
		Anantapur District . . . . .	" & S. M. . . . .	1(a)	1(a)
		Salem District . . . . .	" . . . . .	10(b)	12(b)
		Bellary Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	15	10
		Bellary Cantonment . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Bellary District . . . . .	" & Madras . . . . .	(c) 10	10(b)

(a) Imported.

(b) One imported.

(c) Three imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague sources.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Kurnool District	S. M. & Madras	...	...
		North Arcot District	S. L. & "	1(b)	...
		Nilgiris	Madras	1(b)	...
		Tellocherry Port	"	...	...
		Cuddalore Port	"	...	...
		Mangalore "	"	8(a)	8(a)
		Tinnevely District	S. L. "	...	...
		Malabar "	Madras	...	...
		Cuddapah "	S. M. & S. L.	...	...
		Madras District	S. L. "	...	...
		Vinagapetam Port	S. N. & Madras	...	...
		Vinagapetam District	"	...	...
		Ganjam District	S. N.	...	...
		Ernala Port	"	...	...
		South Canara District	S. L. & Madras	...	...
		Chinglapet "	"	1(b)	...
		Godavari "	Madras	...	...
		Cananore Port	"	...	...
		Tanjore District	S. L.	...	...
		Trichinopoly "	"	...	...
		Cochin State	Madras	...	...
		Rimlipetam Port	"	...	...
		Chingapetam "	"	...	...
		Ootomada "	"	...	...
		Gopalpore "	S. N.	...	...
		Total		58	38
BENGAL	Presi- dency.	Calcutta	E. I. & E. B. & A. D. N.	22	31
		Jessore District	S. C.	...	...
		Nadia "	E. B. & "	...	...
		Murshidabad District	" & E. I.	...	...
		Khulna District	"	...	...
	Burdwan	Midnapore District	E. N.	...	...
		Burdwan "	E. L.	...	...
		Howrah Town	E. I. & E. N.	...	...
		Howrah District	E. L.	...	...
		Hooghly "	"	...	...
		Birbhum "	"	...	...
		Bankura "	S. N.	...	...
	Patna	Chapra Town	S. & N. W.	...	...
		Saran District	"	483	358
		Gaya Town	E. I.	37	27
		Gaya District	"	131	100

(a) One imported.

(b) Imported.



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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague measures.	Plague deaths.
UNMUTUAL.	Patna	Muzaffarpur District . . . .	B. & N.-W. . . . .	65	61
		Darbhanga Town . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Darbhanga District . . . .	" . . . . .	80	90
		Stahabad . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	179	142
		Dinapore . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Patna City . . . . .	" . . . . .	5	25
		Patna District . . . . .	" . . . . .	52	200
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town . . . .	E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Monghyr District . . . .	" . . . . .	—	61
		Darjeeling . . . . .	D. H. . . . .	—	—
		Bhagalpur Town . . . .	E. I. . . . .	2	2
		Bhagalpur District . . . .	" & E. & N.-W. . . .	1	3
	Chota Nagpur	Palaman District . . . .	" L. . . . .	21	15
		Gangpur State . . . .	B. M. . . . .	—	—
		Parolia Town . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Manbhum District . . . .	E. I. & B. M. . . .	—	—
		Singbhum . . . . .	B. M. . . . .	—	—
		Hamaribagh . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	—	—
	Orissa	Cuttack District . . . .	B. M. . . . .	—	—
		Bambalpur . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	TOTAL			1,559	1,304
UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Meerut City . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	—	—
		Meerut Cantonment. . . .	" . . . . .	—	1
		Meerut District . . . .	" O. & R. & E. I. . .	275	276
		Mumfarnagar City . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Mumfarnagar District . . .	" . . . . .	664	664
		Aligarh City . . . . .	E. I. & O. & R. . . .	—	—
		Aligarh District . . . .	" . . . . .	20	20
		Sahasganj City . . . .	O. & R. & N. W. . .	2	7
		Hardwar Union . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Roorkee Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Sahasganj District . . . .	" & N. W. . . . .	202	171
		Delandabahr . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	122	62
		Dekin Dun . . . . .	O. & R. . . . .	—	—
	Agra	Etawah City . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Etawah District . . . .	" . . . . .	—	4
		Fatehgarh . . . . .	B. M. & O. I. . . .	—	—
		Farrakhabad Town . . . .	" & E. I. . . . .	112	111
		Farrakhabad District . . .	" . . . . .	24	24



Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Kumaon	Naini Tal . . . . .	O. & N. . . . .	—	—
		Gairwal District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Lucknow	Unao District . . . . .	O. & N., & R. & N. W. . . . .	145	136
		Lucknow City . . . . .	" " & R. N. . . . .	95	94
		Lucknow District . . . . .	" . . . . .	122	127
		Hardoi . . . . .	" . . . . .	73	68
		Rae Bareilly . . . . .	" . . . . .	165	120
		Shamli . . . . .	R. N. . . . .	195	197
		Kheri . . . . .	" . . . . .	70	74
	Fyzabad	Bahraich District . . . . .	R. & N. W. . . . .	10	10
		Gonda . . . . .	" . . . . .	7	7
		Paritabgarh . . . . .	O. & N. . . . .	67	68
		Bahraich . . . . .	" . . . . .	111	56
		Ajodhya . . . . .	" & R. & N. W. . . . .	—	—
		Fyzabad City . . . . .	" . . . . .	162	151
		Fyzabad District . . . . .	" . . . . .	124	160
		Bamhanki Town . . . . .	R. & N. W. & O. & N. . . . .	—	—
		Bamhanki District . . . . .	" . . . . .	529	391
	TOTAL . . . . .			7,422	6,522
PUNJAB	Delhi	Hissar District . . . . .	R., B. & G. & N. W. . . . .	12	21
		Karnal . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	63	65
		Simla . . . . .	K. S. . . . .	—	—
		Delhi City . . . . .	" . . . . .	3	2
		Delhi District . . . . .	R. I., N. W., O. & N. & G. I. P. & R., B. & G. I. & N. W. & R. I. . . . .	194	156
		Amritsar . . . . .	" . . . . .	335	709
		Ludhiana . . . . .	" . . . . .	1,243	1,243
		Rohatki . . . . .	" . . . . .	142	153
	Jullundur	Jullundur City . . . . .	R. W. . . . .	1	1
		Jullundur District . . . . .	" . . . . .	740	342
		Hoshiarpur . . . . .	" . . . . .	424	405
		Ferozepur . . . . .	" . . . . .	225	186
		Kangra . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Lahore	Amritsar City . . . . .	R. W. . . . .	2	3
		Amritsar District . . . . .	" . . . . .	248	248
		Gurdaspur . . . . .	" . . . . .	1,050	1,050
		Lahore City . . . . .	" . . . . .	66	77
		Lahore District . . . . .	" . . . . .	493	214
		Gujranwala District . . . . .	" . . . . .	524	150
		Montgomery City . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Montgomery District . . . . .	" . . . . .	94(a)	21(a)
		Sheikot . . . . .	" . . . . .	725	729

(a) Figures for the week ending 2nd February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague salarua.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District	N. W.	...	...
		Gujrat	"	346	353
		Shahpur	"	50	20
		Jhelum	"	1	2
		Attock	"	40	46
	Multan	Mianwali District	N. W.	...	...
		Lyallpur	"	12(a)	6(a)
		MansaBagh	"	...	...
	Ferozepore.	Patiala City	Rajpoota-Bhatinda (N. W. Ry.).	31	30
		Patiala State	N. W., E. I., E. B. & O.L. & J.B.	484	443
		Kapurthala State	N. W.	320	260
		Malak Kotla	"	250	251
		Nalagarh	"	...	...
		Bind	"	58	20
		Kalsia State	"	53	24
		Ferozkot	"	56	23
		Nabha	"	...	...
	TOTAL			5,616	7,297
BURMA.	Bago	Rangoon Town	Burma	03	61
		Hanthawaddy District	"	...	...
		Pegu District	"	...	...
		Tharawaddy District	"	28	28
		Prome	"	20	21
	Mawaddy	Moulmein District	"	...	...
		Bassein	"	15	12
		Hongkong	"	38	32
		Pypoon	"	1	1
		Myaungmye	"	2	1
	Minn	Pakokha District	"	...	...
		Minn District	"	4	5
		Thayutmye District	"	1	1
	Toungoo	Toungoo District	"	11	9
		Amherst (Moulmein) District	"	...	...
		Tavoy District	"	...	...
		Moulmein Town	"	4	5
		Thatun District	"	...	...

(a) Figures for 2 weeks ending 9th February 1907.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA.	Mandalay	Myithyina District	Burma	...	...
		Bhamo District	"	...	...
		Mandalay Town	"	238	284
		Mandalay District	"	...	...
	Sagging	Shwabo District	"	...	...
		Lower Chindwin (Monywa) District	"	1	1
		Sagging	"	1	1
	Methila	Myingyan District	"	...	...
		Yamethin	"	31	25
		Kyaukse	"	21	20
		Methila	"	17	16
	Total			491	475
	Majhail	Palma District	R. R. R.	...	...
		Majhail	"	4(5)	4(5)
	Dacca	Dacca Town	"	...	...
		Faridpur District	"	...	...
	Total			4(5)	4(5)
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BUNDEL).	Nagpur	Nagpur City	B. N. & G. I. P.	6	5
		Nagpur District	"	88	75
		Wardha Town	G. I. P.	2	...
		Wardha District	"	30	17(a)
		Kamptee Cantonment	B. N.	...	...
		Kamptee Town	"	...	...
		Chanda Town	G. I. P.	...	...
		Chanda District	"	5	1
		Bhandara Town	B. N.	1	...
		Bhandam District	"	51	51(a)
		Balaghat Town	"	...	...
		Balaghat District	"	...	...
	Jubbulpur.	Jubbulpore Town	B. I. & G. I. P.	279	277
		Jubbulpore Cantonment	"	7	5
		Jubbulpore District	"	23(a)	21(a)
		Damoh Town	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	...	...
		Damoh District	" ( " )	...	...
		Saugor Cantonment	" ( " )	...	...
		Saugor Town	" ( " )	...	...
		Saugor District	"	...	...
		Chappan Town	" ( " )	...	...
		Secund Town	B. N.	13	13
		Secund District	"	64	54
		Mandla	"	7	5

(a) One imported.

(b) Figures for 2 weeks ending 24th February 1907.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Travelled by what railways.	Plague epidemics.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES (including Bikanir).	Nerbudda.	Khandwa Town . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. . . . .	9(b)	8(c)
		Burhanpur Town . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	...	...
		Nimar District . . . . .	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I. . . . .	102	63
		Pachmar . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Hoshangabad Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Hoshangabad District . . . . .	" . . . . .	20(a)	14(c)
		Narsimpur Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	18	15
		Narsimpur District . . . . .	" . . . . .	15(a)	14(a)
		Batal District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Chhindwara Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Chhindwara District . . . . .	B. N. . . . .	22	13
	Chhattisgarh.	Drug Town . . . . .	B. N. . . . .	...	...
		Bilaspur Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Bilaspur District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Raipur Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	7	6
		Raipur District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
	Bihar.	Akola Town . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	10	3
		Akola District . . . . .	" . . . . .	205	211
		Buldana Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Buldana District . . . . .	" . . . . .	202(a)	122(a)
		Yectmal Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	87	35
		Yectmal District . . . . .	" . . . . .	1(d)	...
		Amraoti Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	95	94
		Amraoti District . . . . .	" . . . . .	160	138(c)
	TOTAL			1,590	1,347
MYSORE STATE.		Bangalore Civil and Military Station . . . . .	S. M. & Madras . . . . .	22	20
		Bangalore City . . . . .	" . . . . .	30	23
		Bangalore District . . . . .	" . . . . .	41	27
		Mysore City . . . . .	" . . . . .	62	31
		Mysore District . . . . .	" . . . . .	8	2
		Kolar . . . . .	Madras . . . . .	10	5
		Kolar Gold Fields . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	1
		Tankar District . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	1	3
		Shimoga . . . . .	" . . . . .	4	...
		Chitaldrug . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Kadur . . . . .	" . . . . .	1	...
		Hamas . . . . .	" . . . . .	4	3
	TOTAL			178	134

(a) One imported.

(b) Four imported.

(c) Two imported.

(d) Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by whole railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
HYDERABAD STATE.		Umanabad District	G. I. P. & Barot	21(a)	27(a)
		Parbhani District	N. G. S.	...	...
		Anrangabad District	"	8 (a)	...
		TOTAL		27(a)	27(a)
		Indore City	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Indore State	" & G. I. P.	...	...
		Indore Residency	"	...	...
		Ujjain City	"	20	29
		Gwalior City	G. I. P.	...	...
		Gwalior State (portion in Bhopal)	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	...	...
		Dhar State	G. I. P. (L. M. Sec.) & Gwalior	18	19
		Pathari ..	" ( " )	...	...
		Malwa Agency	Rajputana-Malwa	...	...
		Sunderal Pergana in the Bhopal Agency	"	15	8
		Bhopal City	G. I. P.	18	9
		Bhopal Agency	"	...	...
		Sagora (Gwalior)	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Bhopal Agency	"	...	...
		Nakundgarh State	G. I. P. (L. M. Sec.)	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment	B., B. & C. I. (Rajputana-Malwa)	...	...
CENTRAL INDIA.		Nimnab ..	"	...	...
		Batliam City	"	...	...
		Batliam State	"	19(b)	18(b)
		Dewas Town	"	...	...
		Dewas State	G. I. P.	...	...
		Narsingh State	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Malwa Agency	"	...	...
		Tonk State (portion in Central India)	G. I. P.	9(b)	4(b)
		Bawa Town	"	...	...
		Bawa State	"	...	...
		Schore State	"	...	...
		Datta City	"	...	...
		Datta State	"	...	...
		Bailana Town	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Bailana State	"	...	...
		Niploda District	"	...	...
		Bagli State	"	...	...
		Jhabua ..	"	19	16
		Jabra Town	"	...	...
		Jabra State	"	91	77
		Agar Military Station	G. I. P.	...	...
		Manpur	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Sitapur State	"	...	...
		Rajgarh ..	G. I. P.	...	...
		Kurwai ..	"	...	...
		Barwani ..	" & B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Lachkar City	"	...	...
TOTAL				312(b)	178(b)

(a) Figures for the period from 26th January to 26th February 1907.  
(b) Figures for the week ending 2nd February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
RAJ- PUVANA.		Bhamptar State	B., H. & C. I.	...	...
		Ajmer City	"	...	...
		Ajmer District	"	4	1
		Ajmer-Marwar District	"	...	...
		Abu Road	"	...	...
		Mewar State	"	21	21
		Farabgarh State	"	...	...
		Chitor (Udaipur) State	"	...	...
		Tonk State	"	27	13
		Marwar State (Jodhpur)	J. B.	...	...
		Jaipur City	B., R. & C. I.	...	...
		Jaipur State	"	37	37
		Kishengarh Town	"	...	...
		Bikanir State	J. B.	...	...
		Jhalawar "	G. I. P. & B., R. & C. I.	...	...
		Kotah "	B., R. & C. I.	...	...
		Sirohi "	"	...	...
		Shahpura "	G. I. P.	...	...
		Dholpur State.	"	...	...
		Alwar City	B., R. & C. I.	...	...
		Alwar State	"	10(a)	7(a)
		Banwar	"	...	...
		Karauli State	"	...	...
		Banwar Town	"	...	...
		Banwar State	"	...	...
		TOTAL			
KASHMIR.		Jammu Province	N. W.	156	84
		Kathua District	"	...	...
		TOTAL		156	84
N. W. F. PROVINCE.		Abbottabad Town	N. W.	...	...
		Bahawal District	"	...	...
		Bahawal District	"	...	...
		Dera Ismail Khan District	"	...	...
		Peshawar Town	"	...	...
		Peshawar District	"	...	...
TOTAL				...	...
BALU- CHISTAN.		Somnati	N. W.	...	...
		Hirok	"	...	...
		Sibi	"	...	...
		Las Bela State	"	...	...
TOTAL				...	...
GRAND TOTAL.				26,208	20,706

(a) Figures for two weeks ending 8th February 1907.

H. H. RISLEY,  
Secretary to the Government of India.



Circular No. 5-V.  
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

FORESTS.

REVISION OF THE GRADING AND EMOLUMENTS OF DEPUTY AND ASSISTANT CONSERVATORS, AND FURTHER IMPROVEMENTS IN RESPECT TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE POSTS, IMPERIAL FOREST SERVICE.

Calcutta, the 15th February 1907.

RESOLUTION.

In the Government of India Resolution No. 4 F., dated the 28th March 1906, it was stated that the Government of India had arrived at the conclusion that, in order to maintain the efficiency of the Imperial Branch of the Forest Service, it was necessary to take steps to improve the conditions of the service. The enhanced rates of pay of the administrative posts to which the sanction of the Secretary of State had been obtained were accordingly announced.

2. In order to complete the reorganization of the Imperial Forest Service thus begun the Government of India have now obtained the sanction of the Secretary of State to the following revision of the grading and emoluments of Deputy and Assistant Conservators of Forests.

It has been decided to abolish the present system of payment by grades and to establish in its place a system of personal pay dependent on the length of service of the individual officer, according to the following scale :—

					R
In the	1st	year of service	.	.	380 per mensem.
"	2nd	"	"	"	420 "
"	3rd	"	"	"	460 "
"	4th	"	"	"	500 "
"	5th	"	"	"	540 "
"	6th	"	"	"	580 "
"	7th	"	"	"	620 "
"	8th	"	"	"	660 "
"	9th	"	"	"	700 "
"	10th	"	"	"	750 "
"	11th	"	"	"	800 "
"	12th	"	"	"	850 "
"	13th	"	"	"	900 "
"	14th	"	"	"	950 "
"	15th	"	"	"	1,000 "
"	16th	"	"	"	1,050 "
"	17th	"	"	"	1,100 "
"	18th	"	"	"	1,150 "
"	19th	"	"	"	1,200 "
"	20th	and following years of service	"	"	1,250 "

The above scale of pay will take the place of the existing grade pay, officiating allowances (below administrative rank) and exchange compensation allowance, but it will not affect existing special and local allowances such as those set forth in the Forest Department Code, and the corresponding

allowances in Bombay and Madras. These allowances are granted to meet special conditions which remain unaltered.

3. (i) Whilst drawing pay up to and including Rs40 a month an officer will be styled "Assistant Conservator" and when drawing pay at Rs50 per mensem and upwards he will have the rank of a Deputy Conservator.
- (ii) Until he has passed the examinations prescribed in Article 74, Forest Department Code, an Assistant Conservator may not draw pay at a higher rate than Rs40 a month. On passing the examinations he will resume drawing pay under the time-scale at the rate to which his length of service entitles him.
- (iii) Local Governments are authorized to stop the incremental rise of pay of any officer whose work in its opinion is not of a satisfactory nature.
- (iv) As heretofore a Deputy Conservator officiating as a Conservator will be entitled to a salary equal to the pay of the lowest grade of Conservator.

4. The sanction of the Secretary of State has also been obtained to certain further improvements in respect to the administrative posts of the Imperial Forest Service, and the orders contained in Resolution No. 4 F., dated the 28th March 1906, are accordingly modified to the following extent:—

- (i) A Conservator officiating as Chief Conservator, or a Conservator or Chief Conservator officiating as Inspector General of Forests will draw the full pay of the post.
- (ii) The pay of the Inspector General of Forests has been fixed at Rs2,650 a month.

5. The orders contained in this Resolution will have effect from the 6th January 1907, but should the time-scale of pay now sanctioned result in the diminution of the existing emoluments of any individual officer, he will retain his present salary until he becomes entitled to a higher rate under the time-scale.

\* To His Majesty's Secretary of State, No. 399,  
dated 1st November 1906.  
From His Majesty's Secretary of State, No. 229  
(Revenue), dated 21st December 1906.

Madr.	Central Provinces.
Bombay.	Coorg.
Bengal.	Ajmer.
United Provinces.	Baluchistan.
Punjab.	North-West Frontier
Burma.	Province.
Eastern Bengal and	Superintendent, Port
Assam.	Blair.

ORDERED, that a copy of the above Resolution, together with a copy of the Despatches\* to and from the Secretary of State, be forwarded, for information and guidance to the Local Governments and Administrations noted in the margin, the Inspector General of Forests, and the Comptroller, India Treasuries.

ORDERED also that a copy be forwarded to the Finance Department, for information and further action, with reference to its Resolution No. 210 Ex., dated the 11th January 1907, and that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
*Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.*

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian  
Railways

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## RAILWAY BOARD.

## STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N. B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAYS.	AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		RESULTS OF WORKING DURING 1ST HALF OF YEAR.										RESULTS OF WORKING FOR OFFICIAL YEAR.			
	During 1st half of 1906.	During official year 1905-06.	Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending.		Earnings per mile open for week.		Total earnings from 1st January to.		Increase.		Total earnings from 1st April to.		Increase.	
			1906.	1907.	3rd February 1906.	2nd February 1907.	1906.	1907.	3rd February 1906.	2nd February 1907.	Increase.	Decrease.	3rd February 1906.	2nd February 1907.	Increase.	Decrease.
			Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
<b>State and Guaranteed Railways.</b>																
Bengal-Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & 6")	280	247	1,979	2,026	6,080.16	6,37,000	309	314	28,78,899	29,17,000	38,311	...	2,09,37,225	2,23,42,000	14,04,775	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India (Inclg. V. Wadhwan 3 3/4")	338	324	21	21	6,017	6,000	315	286	30,236	28,300	...	...	2,88,863	2,41,000	...	7,863
Eastern Bengal (Inclg. J. 3 1/2" and 2' 6")	843	753	504	504	4,17,870	3,60,000	889	702	19,98,463	18,65,000	...	...	1,64,47,002	2,61,55,000	9,098	...
East Indian	307	370	1,235	1,281	4,31,035	4,97,000	343	364	21,48,521	23,04,000	1,55,457	...	1,83,76,473	2,09,57,000	25,80,527	...
Great Indian Peninsula system	244	239	2,109	2,285	17,24,399	17,90,000	818	785	83,37,048	8,14,000	...	...	6,39,30,774	6,69,08,000	29,77,226	...
Agra-Delhi-Allahabad	701	650	1,560	1,509	13,71,362	13,86,000	874	883	63,90,002	64,17,000	...	...	4,31,97,235	4,12,46,000	...	...
Indian Midland (Inclg. Bhopal-Hare)	237	171	100	126	2,31,118	3,38,000	193	308	1,11,119	2,04,000	92,881	...	8,59,353	15,10,000	6,50,647	21,51,233
Madras	243	197	914	914	2,40,174	2,66,000	363	324	11,92,554	13,95,000	2,02,446	...	77,53,117	91,24,000	13,70,883	...
Ashtik-Mangalore (a)	344	317	845	845	3,05,759	2,68,000	362	305	13,44,051	12,46,000	...	...	1,16,55,312	1,24,19,000	7,63,688	...
North-east line	...	...	57	57	1,931	1,931	30	30	...	8,100	8,100	...	...	38,200	...	...
West Coast extension (Calicut-Ahmednagar)	251	204	404	495	1,34,854	1,38,000	273	273	5,81,127	5,21,000	...	...	54,81,094	49,02,000	...	5,79,094
North-Western (Inclg. K. K. Thal & N.D. & 6")	112	116	60	60	7,917	6,600	132	116	35,785	30,300	...	...	3,01,133	0,62,000	...	29,5133
Dudh and Rohilkhand (Inclg. C. Buhwal 3 3/4" link)	344	...	3,305	3,499	11,75,711	11,60,000	316	332	55,31,118	54,58,000	...	...	4,89,30,719	5,35,67,000	46,36,281	...
Hardwar-Dehra	275	250	1,240	1,298	3,73,875	3,70,000	302	285	18,88,331	19,43,000	54,667	...	1,33,98,160	1,35,66,000	1,67,840	...
Assam Bengal	198	198	32	32	5,075	5,000	159	163	26,939	29,900	2,961	...	2,68,978	2,84,000	15,022	...
Burma	91	92	775	771	24,853	26,800	97	125	3,30,106	4,60,000	1,29,894	...	99,78,388	37,68,000	7,86,612	...
Lucknow-Hyderabad (British section)	249	226	1,340	1,240	3,86,093	3,95,000	284	293	17,52,718	17,41,000	...	...	1,27,54,462	1,27,17,000	...	37,462
Lucknow-Bareilly	157	127	124	124	21,077	15,300	170	123	95,037	61,700	...	...	6,54,350	6,87,000	32,430	...
Nagpur	159	151	437	437	3,119	3,600	161	154	2,09,734	1,82,000	...	...	13,66,379	13,37,000	...	29,379
Palampur-Dehra	413	372	17	17	5,554	4,800	317	282	28,630	26,500	...	...	2,77,731	2,68,000	...	9,731
Rajputana-Misra (Inclg. Godhra-Rulam-Nagda 5' 6")	52	42	17	17	743	700	44	41	3,998	4,000	2	...	30,182	32,000	1,818	...
South Indian	367	307	1,908	1,909	6,97,316	5,94,000	365	311	30,52,902	26,53,000	...	...	4,27,61,048	4,20,71,000	...	7,89,048
Tanjore District Board	232	222	1,131	1,131	2,44,718	2,35,000	218	208	11,45,924	11,55,000	9,076	...	1,10,13,464	1,12,37,000	2,23,536	...
Travancore Branch	123	116	99	99	12,479	11,200	126	113	53,112	48,900	...	...	5,11,078	4,91,000	...	20,078
Southern Mahratta (Inclg. G. I. M. From, sec.)	85	88	108	108	8,673	8,900	82	82	45,883	41,500	...	...	4,23,602	4,09,000	...	14,602
Helary Rajadung	168	148	1,165	1,165	1,86,955	1,89,000	161	162	8,51,435	8,31,000	...	...	73,80,354	75,14,000	1,33,646	...
Hospet-Rottn	19	19	33	33	415	1,800	13	24	2,454	3,800	1,346	...	19,434	35,100	15,666	...
Aljore section	25	19	43	43	1,073	1,200	30	27	5,248	4,700	...	...	24,477	23,400	...	7,073
Talbot State	127	131	206	206	48,517	48,500	165	172	1,91,594	2,62,000	...	...	1,41,481	...	...	...



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 3 h. on Thursday, the 21st February 1907, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

The depression from Persia, which at the close of the previous week had commenced affecting the weather in north-west India, became very diffused in character after entering the Indian region, and as it moved across northern India was hardly discernible as a definite depression, but it introduced low pressure conditions and generally unsettled weather which gave widespread rain in all parts of north-west India as well as in the United Provinces, Central India, the Central Provinces, Chota Nagpur and Bihar. On the 18th the barometer fell very rapidly in upper India, and a well defined depression of probably local origin appeared in the north Punjab causing heavy snowfall in Kashmir and the west Himalayas, and light to moderately heavy rain in the Frontier Province and the submontane Punjab. This depression was, however, shortlived and had practically disappeared by the morning of the 19th. On the next day pressure rose rapidly in northern India, and by the mid of the week weather was settled and skies clear over nearly the whole country.

*Burma.*—Mergui reported a fall of 1.25" of rain on the 21st. Skies were almost clear, and temperature nearly normal.

*North-east India and Orissa.*—A few falls of rain occurred in Orissa and eastern Bengal and Assam on the 15th, and rain was general in Chota Nagpur and south Bihar on the 20th. Cloud extended over the whole division on the 20th, but skies were clear generally on other days except in Bihar, Chota Nagpur and Orissa. Temperature was nearly normal except for an excess at night during the prevalence of cloud.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.*—Widespread rain occurred on the 18th, 19th and 20th, and a few falls on the 17th; and skies were cloudy during the greater part of the week. Temperature was generally below normal by day and in excess by night.

*North-west India.*—Precipitation was reported every day except the 21st and was most widespread from the 16th to the 19th during which period it occurred in all parts of the division. Skies were more or less overcast during the greater part of the week but by the 21st they had cleared except in Baluchistan and Kashmir. Temperature was in defect by day throughout the week, at night it was normal or in excess until the skies commenced clearing after the rain when it fell, and on the 20th it was in defect everywhere.

*The Peninsula.*—Light rain fell at Malegaon and Aurangabad on the 18th, and at Pamban and Tinnevely on the 19th. Light cloud was reported from most stations on the 17th but on other days skies were clear or only lightly clouded. Temperature was practically normal except for a slight excess in the minimum during the first part of the week on the Konkan and parts of the Deccan.

The rainfall of the period from the 30th November to the 21st February is now only twenty per cent. in defect in Baluchistan as against fifty-four per cent. last week. A deficiency is also shown in the sub-divisions of Dinajpur, Calcutta and Mandalay and on the Burma Coast. In all other parts of the country rainfall is either practically normal or in excess.

The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week, as reported at 8 h. each day:

February 15th, False Point 1'21".

- " 16th, Quetta 0'53", Jacobabad 0'35", Hyderabad (Sind) 0'45" and Kurrachee 0'49".
- " 17th, Murree 1'73", Rawalpindi 1'37", Peshawar 0'70" and Quetta 0'42".
- " 18th, Agra 0'95", Jhansi 1'00", Akola 1'66", Lahore 1'26", Sialkot 0'93", Jaipur 1'47", Sambhar 1'09", Ajmer 1'30" and Kotah 1'30".
- " 19th, Nowgong 1'29", Amraoti 1'35", Nagpur 0'72", Ambala 2'90", Simla 2'03", Ludhiana 1'11", Cherat 2'00", Srinagar 1'78" and Sonemarg 3'70".
- " 20th, Lucknow 0'90", Chakrata 1'73", Sutna 1'14", Jubbulpore 1'04" and Simla 1'13".
- " 21st, Mergui 1'25".



RAINFALL DIVISION WITH REPRESENTATIVE STATION.	Rainfall sub-division named after representative station.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 31ST FEBRUARY 1907.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 30TH NOVEMBER 1906 TO 31ST FEBRUARY 1907.			SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
		Average actual rainfall.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.
1(a). Bay Islands	Port Blair	0	0'10	—0'10	7'48	8'46	—0'98	—12	—11
2. Burma Coast (Rangoon).	...	0'18	0'09	+0'09	0'54	0'94	—0'40	—43	—58
3. Burma Wet (Bhamo)	...	0'01	0'10	—0'09	1'09	0'81	+0'28	+35	+52
3. Burma Dry (Mandalay).	...	0	0'04	—0'04	0'42	0'53	—0'11	—21	—14
4. Delta of Bengal	Narayanganj	0'12	0'47	—0'35	1'80	1'85	—0'05	—3	+22
	Calcutta	0'01	0'34	—0'33	0'69	1'28	—0'59	—40	—28
5. Brahmaputra Valley (Sibsagar).	...	0'10	0'31	—0'21	2'66	2'17	+0'49	+23	+38
6. Himalayas and Sub-Himalayas, East.	Dinapore	0'38	0'15	+0'23	0'82	1'11	—0'29	—20	—54
	Darbhanga	0'08	0'13	—0'05	1'22	1'25	—0'03	—2	+2
	Bahraich	0'29	0'12	+0'17	2'31	2'09	+0'22	+11	+3
7. Indo-Gangetic Plain, East.	Burdwan	0'01	0'28	—0'27	0'93	1'03	—0'10	—10	+23
	Patna	0'40	0'17	+0'23	4'32	1'24	+3'08	+248	+206
8. Himalayas and Sub-Himalayas, West.	Simla	3'22	0'85	+2'37	12'88	7'23	+5'65	+78	+51
9. Indo-Gangetic Plain, West.	Ludhiana	1'65	0'47	+1'18	7'42	4'34	+3'08	+71	+49
	Cawnpore	0'87	0'11	+0'76	2'83	1'67	+1'16	+69	+26
	Lahore	0'86	0'22	+0'64	3'18	2'30	+0'88	+35	+8
10. N.W. Dry Area (Bikaner).	...	0'72	0'24	+0'48	2'66	1'68	+0'98	+58	+35
11. Baluchistan (Quetta)	...	1'59	0'35	+1'24	3'31	4'13	—0'82	—20	—54
12. East Coast, North	Wakair	0'01	0'10	—0'09	5'04	1'47	+3'57	+243	+267
	Cuttack	0'40	0'36	+0'04	1'37	1'39	—0'02	—1	—6
	Ranchi	0'47	0'34	+0'13	2'06	1'19	+1'47	+124	+158
13. East Satpuras	Raipur	0'02	0'08	—0'06	1'63	0'90	+0'73	+81	+96
	Jubbulpore	1'87	0'10	+1'77	4'30	1'47	+2'83	+193	+77
14. Central Plateau, India	Jhansi	1'82	0'09	+1'73	3'54	1'62	+1'92	+119	+12
	Nagpur	1'62	0'04	+1'58	2'55	0'87	+1'68	+193	+18
	Indore	0'56	0'08	+0'48	1'01	0'61	+0'40	+66	—15
15. West Coast	Calicut	0'32	0'20	+0'12	3'93	3'45	+0'48	+14	+11
	Bombay	0	0	0	0'00	0'18	+0'42	+233	+233
16. Gujarat	Ahmedabad	0'04	0	+0'04	0'20	0'20	0	0	—20
	Rajkot	0'32	0'01	+0'31	1'05	0'19	+0'86	+453	+306
17. West Satpuras (Akola).	...	1'44	0'04	+1'40	2'64	0'93	+1'71	+184	+35
18. Deccan	Bellary	0	0'02	—0'02	3'27	0'63	+2'64	+419	+427
	Bijapur	0'02	0'01	+0'01	1'29	0'38	+0'91	+239	+243
	Hyderabad	0	0'04	—0'04	1'77	0'24	+1'53	+638	+785
19. South India	Mysore	0	0'08	—0'08	2'15	0'44	+1'71	+369	+497
	Madura	0'03	0'31	—0'28	4'07	3'30	+0'77	+23	+35
20. East Coast, South (Madras).	...	0'16	0'24	+0'08	16'52	11'90	+4'62	+39	+39

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The 31st February 1907.

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday,  
16th February 1907.

**Burma.**—Half an inch of rain fell in the Ruby Mines district. Reaping of late wet weather paddy is completed everywhere; winnowing is completed in Akyab, Sandoway, Hanthawaddy and Tavoy. Transplanting of dry weather paddy is completed in Prome and in the Thabeitkyin sub-division of the Ruby Mines district. Clearing of hill sides for paddy cultivation has commenced in Thayetmyo, Myitkyna, and Katha. Reaping of maize and sesamum is completed in the Pakokku township. Reaping of cold weather crops is completed in the Chin Hills and plucking of tobacco in the Northern Shan States. The standing crops are in good condition. The price of paddy has risen in Tavoy, Akyab, and Mergui and slightly in five other districts; it has fallen largely in Myitkyna and slightly in three other districts.

**Eastern Bengal and Assam.**—The weather is seasonable. Slight to moderate rain fell in all districts except Tippera, Dinajpur, Goalpara, Darrang, and Nowgong. More rain is wanted in some districts. The prospects of the standing crops are generally fair. Ploughing for and transplantation of paddy and preparation of land for jute, hot weather crops and *till* are going on. Harvesting of mustard; plucking of cotton; pruning of tea; and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Prices of common rice:—Manipur 14½; Comilla 9½; Sitchar 9 to 9½; Rangamati, Kohima, Dacca, and Chittagong 9; Faridpur 6½ to 9; Pabna 8½; Dinajpur 8½; Mymensingh, Bogra, Malda, Gauhati, Tezpur, Nowgong, and Sibsagar 8; Barisal, Rampur Boalia, Jalpaiguri, Dhubri, and Sylhet 7½; Dibrugarh 7½; Noakhali 7; Tura 6 to 7; Rangpur 6½; and Shillong and Aijal 6 seers per rupee. Prices have risen in four; fallen in seven; and remained stationary in the remaining districts. Five hundred and thirty-two persons received gratuitous relief in Sylhet.

**Bengal.**—Light rain was fairly general in Bengal Proper, South Bihar and Chota Nagpur. Some scattered showers fell in the rest of the Province. The prospects of the standing crops are on the whole fair, but some damage has been done by the heavy rainfall of the previous week to the early spring crops in Patna, Shahabad, Hazaribagh and Palamau. Sugarcane-pressing continues. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—Muzaffarpur 440 and Darbhanga 14,763. The number of persons on test works is—Champaran 107, Muzaffarpur 396 and Darbhanga 1,902. The number on relief works in Darbhanga is 53,131. Fodder and water are sufficient, except in parts of Jessore. The price of common rice has risen in two and fallen in eight districts.

**United Provinces.**—There was light rain all over the Province during the week and it was generally beneficial, but a break is now needed. Fields are being prepared for the cultivation of sugarcane and sowings of extra spring crops are progressing. Spring crops continue to do well. Slight damage by hail and cloudy weather is reported from parts of Saharanpur, Bijnor, Moradabad, Bareilly, Meerut, Bulandshahr, Aligarh, Agra, Farrukhabad, Budaun, Shahjahanpur, Kheri, Rae Bareilly, Cawnpore, Ghazipur, Jalaun, Jhansi and Hamirpur and more serious damage in one tahsil of Pilibhit. Wheat was slightly injured by rust in parts of Bara Banki and Hamirpur, while rain has also injured some crops in Partabgarh, Fyzabad and Mirzapur. The markets are amply stocked. Fodder is dear in Hardoi, Sitapur, Kheri and Rae Bareilly. Prices remain stationary.

The weekly report on the scarcity is as follows:—There was light rainfall in Gorakhpur during the week. Spring crops are doing fairly well but cloudy weather is causing apprehension. Food supplies are sufficient but fodder is scarce. Prices show a tendency to fall. The numbers on relief are:—on works 132, on gratuitous relief 430, in poor-houses 356, total 918.

**Punjab.**—Good to moderate rain has fallen all over the Province. There are slight fluctuations in the prices of food grains; wheat is rising in Lyalpur and falling in Hissar and Jullundur. Ploughings for and sowings of extra spring crops continue. Sugarcane sowings are in progress in Umballa. The condition and prospects of the standing crops are generally good. The rain has been beneficial to the standing crops but more rain and cloudy weather will damage the crops on low lying lands in Jullundur. Crops have been slightly damaged by hail in parts of Ambala and Ferozepore and by locusts in parts of Lyalpur. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder is sufficient. There are no complaints regarding the water-supply.

**North-West Frontier Province.**—Heavy rain has fallen all over the Province and was very beneficial. The condition of the standing crops is excellent especially on unirrigated lands, but sunshine is much needed now everywhere. Locusts appeared in the Marwat tehsil of the Bannu district and did some damage in places. Pressings of sugarcane is retarded by bad weather. The water-supply is ample. Fodder is sufficient. The condition of cattle are good. Prices:—wheat 15½ to 19½; gram 18½ to 21½; maize 21 to 25½; and bajra 20 to 21½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—There was heavy rain during the week. Prices are stationary. Prices:—wheat 11 to 24 and maize 11 to 30 seers per rupee. The condition of the standing crops is good. Fodder is sufficient except in the Kishtwar tehsil where it is scarce.

**Kashmir.**—There was moderately heavy snow during the week. The weather is cold. Prices are almost stationary.

**Rajputana.**—Showers were received nearly throughout the Agency, the maximum fall at Kishangarh was forty-four cents. Agricultural operations are satisfactory and prospects generally favourable. Slight damage owing to frost has occurred in Mewar and Hill tracts and owing to hail and excessive cold in Jaipur. Prices are nearly steady throughout, though still high in places.

**Central India.**—Rainfall general in all Agencies except Indore and Bhopawar. Autumn harvesting and irrigation of spring crops are in progress. The standing crops and the probable outturn are good. Crops have been slightly damaged by hail in Gwalior and Baghelkhand and by rats in Indore and Bhopawar Agencies. Agricultural stock and pasturage are generally good except in parts of Indore. Prices are high in Baghelkhand and Rutlam and stationary elsewhere. Opium is good and irrigation continues in Malwa and collection has commenced in Bhopawar.

**Central Provinces.**—Rain continued during the week in all districts and was again accompanied by hail in eight districts; the principal falls were:—Amraoti 3½, Chhindwara 3, Akola and Seoni 2 inches, and ranged elsewhere from 1½ inches in Betul to 3 cents in Chanda. The crops have been somewhat damaged in fifteen districts by unseasonable weather; the damage done was considerable in Betul, Chhindwara and in parts of Nagpur and Akola. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress throughout the Provinces but operations were retarded in Betul and Chhindwara by heavy rain. The standing crops are on the whole in good condition and prospects remain generally favourable. Fodder and water are adequate. Wheat has become dearer by 3 seers per rupee in Betul; juar rose by 2½ seers in Buldana and fell by 2 seers per rupee in Saugor; no other marked fluctuations have occurred but rates are equal to or exceed the scarcity level in Nimar, Wardha, Chanda, Balaghat, Bilaspur, and Amraoti.

**Native States.**—During the week Raigarh received one inch of rain and the fall in Sakti, Sarangarh, Rajnandgaon, Kawardha, and Chhuikhadan ranged from 72 to 2 cents. Sugarcane pressing, threshing of rice and *kodon*, and harvesting of spring crops are in progress. The standing crops are in good condition. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices:—wheat 11 to 20, rice 13 to 16, and *kodon* (millet) 18 to 21 seers per rupee.

**Bombay.**—There was rain during the week in parts of Sind, Gujarat, Poona, Kathiawar, Palanpur, Cutch, and Mahi Kantha. The spring crops have benefited by the rain in parts of Sind. The standing crops have been slightly damaged by rust, blight or insects in parts of Karachi; by frost or rain in parts of Ahmedabad, Kaira, Panch Mahals, Palanpur, Baroda, Cutch, and Mahi Kantha; and by unfavourable winds in parts of Upper Sind Frontier; and are generally in good condition elsewhere. Harvesting of spring crops continues in parts of the Deccan and the Karnatak. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Gujarat, the Karnatak, Kathiawar, Baroda, Palanpur, Cutch and Rewa Kantha. Preparation of lands for next season is generally in progress. The supply of drinking water is generally sufficient. Water for irrigation purposes is adequate except in parts of Nasik, Poona, and Sholapur. Agricultural stock is sufficient except in Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur and Cutch. The fodder supply is sufficient. The quantity of food grains purchasable per rupee varies in the Deccan from 10 per cent. above normal to 34 per cent. less than normal, and elsewhere from normal to 35 per cent. below.

**Hyderabad.**—Rainfall:—eight cents. Spring crops have suffered in parts. The harvest continues and the standing crops are fair to good. Late rice is being weeded. Price:—wheat 7½; coarse rice 7½; and jowar 15½ seers per rupee.

**Mysore.**—Prices of food grains have fallen slightly in Shimoga and Chitaldroog and are steady elsewhere. Sowing operations are in progress. The prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—Threshing of rice continues. Prices of food grains are stationary. Water and fodder are sufficient.

**Madras.**—No rain. Irrigation supplies are sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Kistna, Bellary, Anantapur, South Arcot, North Arcot, Salem, and Madura. Ploughing, sowing, weeding and transplanting are in progress in parts. The standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of Trichinopoly and Madura are withering. Harvests continue with outturn poor to normal and bumper. Pasture is sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Kistna, Bellary, Anantapur, Salem, Madura, and South Canara. Fodder is scanty in parts of Salem and Madura. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in eleven districts; has fallen in six; and has slightly risen in one. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*Ragi* is stationary in ten districts; has fallen in four; and has slightly risen in seven. *Cholam* is stationary in three districts; has fallen in six; and has slightly risen in five. *Cumbu* is stationary in five districts; has fallen in four; and has slightly risen in six.

The number of persons in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks in each Province is shown in the following table:—

Name of Province.	PRECEDING WEEK. (REVISED FIGURES.)			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>BRITISH PROVINCES.</b>							
Eastern Bengal and Assam		345	345	...	532	532	+187
Bengal	44,591	16,160	60,751	55,735	15,203	70,939	+10,188
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	217	2,957	3,174	132	786	918	—2,256
<b>TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES</b>	<b>44,808</b>	<b>19,462</b>	<b>64,270</b>	<b>55,868</b>	<b>16,521</b>	<b>72,389</b>	<b>+8,119</b>

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PLAGUE.*Calcutta, the 21st February 1907.*

The following statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 16th February 1907, is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and Stations and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Township by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Northern.	Bombay City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. . . . .	144	124
		Dholera Port . . . . .	B. & G. J. P. . . . .	—	—
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	78	30
		Gogo Port . . . . .	B. & G. J. P. . . . .	5	3
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & B. & G. J. P. . . . .	122	100
		Paras Mahala District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	37	21
		Kaira District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	1,100	274
		Broach Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Broach District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	44	21
		Nahikata State . . . . .	" " . . . . .	114	29
		Rawalpur State . . . . .	" " . . . . .	23	20
		Surat Town and Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	3	2
		Bulmer Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Surat District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	20	21
		Palanpur State . . . . .	" " . . . . .	56	21
		Jharsa Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Uttar . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & B. & G. J. P. . . . .	—	—
		Vandri . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Kolva . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Trombay . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Tampar . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Mahar . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Mahar . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Darwi . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Dhar . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Shivadi . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Aghshi . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	19	13
		Chigraon . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Karia . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Banaris . . . . .	B., B. & C. . . . .	—	—
		Kalyan . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	1
		Thane . . . . .	" " . . . . .	1	1
		Bandra . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Umbergaon Port . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Kou . . . . .	" " . . . . .	—	—
		Thane District . . . . .	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I. . . . .	14	6
Central.		Purna City . . . . .	B. M. & G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Purna District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	3	2
		Baham . . . . .	B. M. . . . .	220	145
		Ahmednagar District . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	4	2

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND GULF.	Central.	Khandesh District . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	334(a)	260(a)
		Nashik . . . . .	" . . . . .	13	13
		Sholapur Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Sholapur District . . . . .	G. I. P., S. N. & B. and . . .	—	—
	Southern.	Ahmednagar . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	13	9
		Mos . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. N. & B. & G. I. . .	—	—
		Panvel . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Mahad . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Enshi . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Boba . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. N. . . . .	—	—
		Ashklani . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Navandga . . . . .	S. N. & G. I. . . . .	—	—
		Kolaba District . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. N. & B. & G. I. . .	68	32
		Ratnagiri Port . . . . .	S. N. . . . .	—	—
		Vasandrag . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Harnai . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Majapur . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Vengurle . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Makasa . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Jaitapur . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Dabhol . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Jaigad . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Deogad . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Ratnagiri District . . . . .	S. N. . . . .	4	4
		Belgaum . . . . .	" . . . . .	68	41
		Dharwar . . . . .	" . . . . .	16	10
		Karwar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Kamta . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Kanara District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Seventradi State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Sind.	Kutchi Town and Port . . . . .	S. W. . . . .	48	17
		Kutchi District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Hydrabad Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Hydrabad District . . . . .	" A. I. R. . . . .	—	—
		Larkhosa . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Thar and Parbat District . . . . .	J. R. . . . .	—	—
		Sukkur District . . . . .	S. W. . . . .	—	—
		Kharpur State . . . . .	S. W. & S. R. . . . .	—	—
	Political Charges.	Ahmednagar State . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Anand . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. N. . . . .	—	—
		Phaltan . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Tana Port . . . . .	Tuna-Adjar . . . . .	—	—
		Mundra . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—

(a) Of these 344 seizures and 260 deaths occurred in East Khandesh and the rest in West Khandesh.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague victims.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SUR.	Political Charge.	Juhu Port . . . . .	Tam-Anjar . . . . .	—	—
		Cambay Port . . . . .	B. R. & C. I. . . . .	15	0
		Cambay State . . . . .	" . . . . .	97	21
		Mandvi Por . . . . .	Tam-Anjar . . . . .	—	—
		Ortah State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Savner . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Ehor . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	5	5
		Mangrol Port . . . . .	B-G-J-P. . . . .	3	2
		Porbander Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Rhavnagar Town and Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	25	2
		Jamnagar . . . . .	" . . . . .	16	15
		Mahwa Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Jafrahad . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Yawanla . . . . .	Marvi Sea) . . . . .	—	—
		Kothwar Agency . . . . .	B. R. & C. I., Morvi & B-G-J-P. . . . .	177	122
		Kolhapur Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	25	25
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country . . . . .	" . . . . .	220	120
		Roshin State . . . . .	B. R. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Dhansagar State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Srivardhan Port . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Murad . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Borimandla . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Handgaon . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Majagaon . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Rajapuri . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Jangha Port . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Jangha State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Vahan Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Buzda City . . . . .	B. R. & C. I. . . . .	7	3
		Dwarha Port . . . . .	B-G-J-P. . . . .	21	20
		Bot Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Kothwar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Buzda State . . . . .	B. R. & C. I. . . . .	60	57
		Calora . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	11	7
		Jadh . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Buzda . . . . .	B. R. & C. I. . . . .	4	4
		Adra . . . . .	" . . . . .	2(a)	—
		TOTAL . . . . .		2,377	1,573
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	"	Madras City . . . . .	Madras & S. I. . . . .	—	—
		Anantapur District . . . . .	" & S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Salem District . . . . .	" . . . . .	11(a)	9(b)
		Bellary Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	7	6
		Bellary Cantonment . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Bellary District . . . . .	" & Madras . . . . .	4(b)	3(b)

(a) Imported.

(b) One imported.

(c) Two imported.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MAHARASHTRA.		Karnool District . . . .	S. M. & Madras . . . .	...	...
		North Arcot District . . . .	S. I. & " . . . .	...	...
		Nilgiris " . . . .	Madras . . . .	...	...
		Tellicherry Port . . . .	" . . . .	1	1
		Ondolara Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Mangalore " . . . .	" . . . .	2	2
		Tinnevely District . . . .	S. I. . . .	...	...
		Malabar " . . . .	Madras . . . .	...	...
		Cuddalore " . . . .	" S. M. & S. I. . . .	...	...
		Madras District . . . .	S. I. . . .	...	...
		Vinayapuram Port . . . .	S. M. & Madras . . . .	...	...
		Vinayapuram District . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Ganjam District . . . .	S. M. . . .	...	...
		Brussels Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		South Canara District . . . .	S. I. & Madras . . . .	...	...
		Chingapuri " . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Godavari " . . . .	Madras . . . .	...	...
		Ongunore Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Tanjore District . . . .	S. I. . . .	...	...
		Trichinopoly " . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Cochin State . . . .	Madras . . . .	...	...
		Bhimipatan Port . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Calicut State " . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Gopalpet " . . . .	S. M. . . .	...	...
		Total . . . .		25	25
BOMBAY.	Presidency.	Chalcotta . . . .	S. I., S. M. & S. N. . . .	17(a)	17
		24-Parganas District . . . .	S. M. & S. . . .	20(b)	2
		Jessore District . . . .	S. M. . . .	...	...
		Radia " . . . .	S. M. & S. . . .	...	...
		Murshidabad District . . . .	" & S. I. . . .	...	...
		Khalas District . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
	Burdwan.	Midnapore District . . . .	S. M. . . .	...	...
		Burdwan " . . . .	S. I. . . .	...	...
		Howrah Town . . . .	S. I. & S. M. . . .	...	...
		Howrah District . . . .	S. I. . . .	...	...
		Hughly " . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Birbhum " . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
	Fateh.	Bankura " . . . .	S. M. . . .	...	...
		Champan District . . . .	S. & N.-W. . . .	3	1
		Chapra Town . . . .	" . . . .	...	...
		Saran District . . . .	" . . . .	1,197(c)	1,101(c)
		Gaya Town . . . .	S. I. . . .	26	26
		Gaya District . . . .	" . . . .	108	127

(a) One imported. (b) Imported.  
(c) Figures for two weeks ending 14th February 1907.



Presidents or Provinces.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
BENGAL.	Patna.	Muzaffarpur District . . . . .	R. & N.-W. . . . .	48	48
		Darbhanga Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
		Darbhanga District . . . . .	" . . . . .	125	115
		Shahabad " . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	171	120
		Dinapore . . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
		Patna City . . . . .	" . . . . .	30	23
		Patna District . . . . .	" . . . . .	425	201
	Shahjhpur.	Monghyr Town . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	"	"
		Monghyr District . . . . .	" . . . . .	50	62
		Darjeeling . . . . .	D. N. . . . .	"	"
		Shahjhpur Town . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	2	2
		Shahjhpur District . . . . .	" & R. & N.-W. . . . .	"	"
	Chota Nagpur.	Palamu District . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	22	12
		Gangpur State . . . . .	R. N. . . . .	"	"
		Parulla Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
		Manbhum District . . . . .	R. I. & R. N. . . . .	1	"
		Singbhum " . . . . .	R. N. . . . .	"	"
		Hamaribagh " . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	"	"
	Orissa.	Orissak District . . . . .	R. N. . . . .	"	"
		Sambalpur " . . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
	TOTAL			1,522	2,071
UNDOING PROVINCE.	Meerut.	Meerut City . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	5	3
		Meerut Cantonment. . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
		Meerut District . . . . .	" Q. & R. & R. I. . . . .	223	159
		Mumfarnagar City . . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
		Mumfarnagar District . . . . .	" . . . . .	1,120	1,152
		Aligarh City . . . . .	R. I. & Q. & R. . . . .	"	"
		Aligarh District . . . . .	" . . . . .	22	22
		Baharunagar City . . . . .	Q. & R. & N. W. . . . .	3	3
		Hardwar Union . . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
		Roorkee Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	"	"
		Baharunagar District . . . . .	" & N. W. . . . .	205	197
		Bulandshahr " . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	"	"
		Dehra Dun " . . . . .	Q. & R. . . . .	15	15
	Agra.	Etawah City . . . . .	R. I. . . . .	"	"
		Etawah District . . . . .	" . . . . .	12	12
		Farrukhabad " . . . . .	R. I. & C. I. . . . .	"	"
		Farrukhabad Town . . . . .	" & R. I. . . . .	20	20
		Farrukhabad District . . . . .	" . . . . .	47	47

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague centres.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Agra	Mainpuri District . . . .	E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Agra City . . . . .	B., B. & O. I., G. I. P. & E. I. .	—	—
		Agra District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	—	—
		Etah " . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	100	110
		Hathras City . . . . .	" & E. I. . . . .	5	6
		Mathra " . . . . .	" & G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Mathra District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	5	5
	Middi- khand.	Bareilly City . . . . .	B. & K. & O. & R. . . . .	—	—
		Bareilly District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	—	—
		Shahjahanpur City . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	6	5
		Shahjahanpur District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	17	20
		Budwan District . . . . .	O. & R. & B. & C. I. . . . .	279	265
		Bijnor Town . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	—	—
		Bijnor District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	241	240
		Moradabad City . . . . .	" & R. E. . . . .	1	1
		Moradabad District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	100	122
		PRibbit District . . . . .	R. E. . . . .	110	100
	Allahabad	Allahabad City . . . . .	E. I. & O. & R. . . . .	65	63
		Allahabad District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	75	75
		Cawnpur City . . . . .	B., B. & O. I. & G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.). . . . .	65	55
		Cawnpur District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	40	20
		Fatehpur " . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	40	27
		Banda " . . . . .	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Jhansi City . . . . .	" ( " ) " " " . . . .	—	—
		Jhansi District . . . . .	" ( " ) " " " . . . .	—	—
		Hemirpur " . . . . .	" ( " ) " " " . . . .	—	—
		Jaloun " . . . . .	" ( " ) " " " . . . .	—	—
	Benares	Benares Cantonment . . . . .	B. & N. W. & O. & R. . . . .	—	—
		Benares City . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	5	5
		Benares District . . . . .	" " " " & E. I. . . . .	22	27
		Ballia " . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	200	200
		Jaunpur City . . . . .	O. & R. . . . .	—	—
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	" & B. & N. W. . . . .	20	20
		Ghazipur " . . . . .	E. I. & B. & N. W. . . . .	445	420
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	5	11
		Mirzapur District . . . . .	" & O. & R. . . . .	201	170
	Gorakhpur.	Amangarh City . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Amangarh District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	400	200
		Gorakhpur City . . . . .	B. & N. W. . . . .	—	—
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	155	171
		Basti District . . . . .	" " " " " " . . . .	62	50

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
UNDEVELOPED PROVINCES.	Kannan	Nakul Tal . . . . .	O. & R. . . . .	—	—
		Gadhwal District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Lucknow	Unao District . . . . .	O. & R. & R. & N. W. . . . .	216	200
		Lucknow City . . . . .	" " & R. K. . . . .	212	200
		Lucknow District . . . . .	" " . . . . .	121	118
		Hardoi " . . . . .	" . . . . .	50	40
		Bas Baroli " . . . . .	" . . . . .	123	90
		Etampur " . . . . .	R. K. . . . .	120	140
		Kheri " . . . . .	" . . . . .	45	47
	Fyzabad	Bahawal District . . . . .	R. & N. W. . . . .	20	20
		Gonda " . . . . .	" . . . . .	12	10
		Parabramh " . . . . .	O. & R. . . . .	21	74
		Bulandpur " . . . . .	" . . . . .	120	41
		Ajodhia " . . . . .	" & R. & N. W. . . . .	—	—
		Fyzabad City . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Fyzabad District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Ban Banki Town . . . . .	R. & N. W. & O. & R. . . . .	—	—
		Ban Banki District . . . . .	" . . . . .	200	414
		Total . . . . .		7,121	6,370
PUNJAB	Delhi	Hissar District . . . . .	R., N. & G. I. & N. W. . . . .	20	25
		Karnal " . . . . .	H. I. . . . .	20	25
		Rohtak " . . . . .	K. R. . . . .	—	—
		Delhi City . . . . .	" . . . . .	0	0
		Delhi District . . . . .	H. I., N. W., O. & R. & G. I. P. & R. & G. I. & W. W. & H. I. . . . .	205	220
		Amboia " . . . . .	" . . . . .	204	120
		Lodhiana " . . . . .	" . . . . .	1,201	1,200
		Rohatki " . . . . .	" . . . . .	200	270
	Jullundur	Jullundur City . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	5	5
		Jullundur District . . . . .	" . . . . .	201	200
		Hoshiarpur " . . . . .	" . . . . .	400	400
		Ferozepur " . . . . .	" . . . . .	200	200
		Kangra " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Lahore	Ambala City . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	5	5
		Ambala District . . . . .	" . . . . .	201	201
		Gurdaspur " . . . . .	" . . . . .	1,200	1,200
		Lahore City . . . . .	" . . . . .	0	0
		Lahore District . . . . .	" . . . . .	201	200
		Gujranwala District . . . . .	" . . . . .	200	200
		Montgomery City . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Montgomery District . . . . .	" . . . . .	27(a)	20(a)
		Rawalpindi " . . . . .	" . . . . .	270	270

(a) Figures for the week ending 5th February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	241(a)	204(a)
		Gujrat " . . . . .	" . . . . .	309	309
		Sheikpur " . . . . .	" . . . . .	40	39
		Jhelum " . . . . .	" . . . . .	3	3
		Attock " . . . . .	" . . . . .	31	40
	Multan.	Multan District . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	—	—
		Lyallpur " . . . . .	" . . . . .	14	8
		Muzaffargarh " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Ferozepore.	Fathia City . . . . .	Rajpura-Bhatinda (N. W. Ry.).	44	41
		Fathia State . . . . .	W. W., E. I., B. B. & G. I. & J. R.	663	646
		Kapurthala State . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	208	137
		Malak Kotla " . . . . .	" . . . . .	216	206
		Nahargarh " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Jind " . . . . .	" . . . . .	22	34
		Kala State " . . . . .	" . . . . .	64	34
		Ferozkoat " . . . . .	" . . . . .	67	39
		Nabha " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Total . . . . .			10,650	9,410
BURMA.	Pegu.	Rangoon Town . . . . .	Burma . . . . .	69	44
		Banthalawaddy District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Pegu District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Tharrawaddy District . . . . .	" . . . . .	31	25
		Prome " . . . . .	" . . . . .	24	14
	Irrawaddy.	Mawla District . . . . .	" . . . . .	3	3
		Bameta " . . . . .	" . . . . .	13	13
		Hamaada " . . . . .	" . . . . .	20	20
		Pyaw " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Myawngaya " . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	1
	Minn.	Pakokku District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Minn District . . . . .	" . . . . .	2	3
		Thayebony District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
	Toungoo.	Toungoo District . . . . .	" . . . . .	10	10
		Amherst (Moulmein) District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Tavoy District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Moulmein Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	8	3
		Thatou District . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—

(a) Figures for 2 weeks ending 16th February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
BURMA.	Mandalay	Myitkyina District . . . .	Burma . . . . .	...	...
		Bhamo District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Mandalay Town . . . .	" . . . . .	196	211
		Mandalay District . . . .	" . . . . .	3	3
	Sagay	Shwabo District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Lower Chindwin (Monywa) District. Sagay . . . . .	" . . . . .	7	6
		...	...	...	...
	Mektila	Myingyan District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Yamethin . . . . .	" . . . . .	40	96
		Kyaukse . . . . .	" . . . . .	15	12
		Mektila . . . . .	" . . . . .	3	3
	TOTAL			424	419
	Rajshahi	Pabna District . . . .	R. B. S. . . . .	...	...
		Malda . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
	Dacca	Dacca Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Faridpur District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
	TOTAL			...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BENAR).	Nagpur	Nagpur City . . . . .	B. N. & G. I. P. . . . .	13	11
		Nagpur District . . . .	" . . . . .	161	180
		Wardha Town . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	3(a)	3(a)
		Wardha District . . . .	" . . . . .	32(b)	31(b)
		Kamptee Cantonment . . .	B. N. . . . .	...	...
		Kamptee Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Chanda Town . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	...	...
		Chanda District . . . .	" . . . . .	19	20
		Bhandara Town . . . .	B. N. . . . .	3(a)	4(a)
		Bhandara District . . . .	" . . . . .	77	20
		Balaghat Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Balaghat District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
	Jubbulpur.	Jubbulpore Town . . . .	B. I. & G. I. P. . . . .	273	276
		Jubbulpore Cantonment . .	" . . . . .	7	3
		Jubbulpore District . . . .	" . . . . .	131(a)	103(c)
		Damoh Town . . . . .	G. I. P. (L. M. Sec.) . . . .	...	...
		Damoh District . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Saugor Cantonment . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Saugor Town . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Saugor District . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Chappara Town . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Seoni Town . . . . .	B. N. . . . .	2(a)	2(a)
		Seoni District . . . . .	" . . . . .	7	3
		Mandla . . . . .	" . . . . .	24(b)	23(b)

(a) One imported. (b) Two imported. (c) Three imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague returns.	Plague deaths.
Central Provinces (including Berar).	Nerbudda	Khandwa Town	N., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	3	2
		Burhanpur Town	G. I. P.	...	...
		Nimar District	G. I. P. & N., B. & C. I.	108	87
		Peshwar	"	...	...
		Hoshangabad Town	"	...	...
		Hoshangabad District	"	28(b)	27(a)
		Narsingpur Town	"	31	41
		Narsingpur District	"	8(d)	11(d)
		Betul District	"	2(a)	...
		Chhindwara Town	"	...	...
		Chhindwara District	"	84	84
	Chhattisgarh	Drug Town	B. N.	...	...
		Bilaspur Town	"	...	...
		Bilaspur District	"	...	...
		Raipur Town	"	1	1
		Raipur District	"	...	...
	Berar	Akola Town	G. I. P.	3	4
		Akola District	"	341(b)	240(b)
		Buldana Town	"	...	...
		Buldana District	"	302	200
		Yestmal Town	"	28	17
		Yestmal District	"	1	1(a)
		Amravati Town	"	88	88
		Amravati District	"	195(a)	138(a)
	TOTAL			2,009	1,867
Mysore State.		Bangalore Civil and Military Station	N. M. & Madras	50	25
		Bangalore City	"	34	31
		Bangalore District	"	60	33
		Mysore City	"	50	41
		Mysore District	"	7	3
		Kolar	Madras	3	2
		Kolar Gold Fields	"	6	3
		Tumkur District	B. M.	...	...
		Shimoga	"	...	...
		Chitaldrug	"	...	...
		Kadur	"	21	14
		Hassan	"	15	10
	TOTAL			235	167

(a) One imported. (b) Three imported. (c) Four imported. (d) Two imported. (e) Imported.

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Presidency or Province	Division	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague measures.	Plague deaths.
HYDERABAD STATE.		Damanabad District	G. I. P. & Bar.	2 (a)	3 (a)
		Farbhani District	N. G. H.	...	...
		Aurangabad District	"	...	...
		<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2 (a)</b>	<b>3 (a)</b>
		Indore City	B., B. & C. I.	1 } (c)	1 } (c)
		Indore State	" & G. I. P.	119 } (c)	125 } (c)
		Indore Hasidnagar	"	1	1
		Ujjain City	"	80 (c)	80 (c)
		Gwalior City	G. I. P.	...	...
		Gwalior State (portion in Bhopal)	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	...	...
		Dhar State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & Gwalior	2	4
		Pathari	"	...	...
		Malwa Agency	Chippatana-Malwa	...	...
		Sunderi Pergana in the Bhopal Agency	G. I. P.	13	11
		Bhopal City	"	19	14
		Bhopal Agency	"	...	...
		Bagore (Gwalior)	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Bhopal Agency	"	...	...
		Mahendragarh State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment	B., B. & C. I. (Chippatana-Malwa)	...	...
		Mitoch	"	...	...
		Ratlam City	"	...	...
		Ratlam State	"	22 (b)	26 (b)
		Dewas Town	"	...	...
		Dewas State	G. I. P.	...	...
CENTRAL INDIA.		Narsingh State	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Malwa Agency	"	14 (b)	50
		Touk State (portion in Central India)	G. I. P.	...	...
		Bora Town	"	...	...
		Bora State	"	...	...
		Bhora State	"	...	...
		Datta City	"	...	...
		Datta State	"	...	...
		Sallana Town	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Sallana State	"	...	...
		Vijaynagar District	"	...	...
		Bagli State	"	...	...
		Jhabua	"	...	...
		Jaura Town	"	...	...
		Jaura State	"	127 (b)	111 (b)
		Agar Military Station	G. I. P.	...	...
		Maunpur	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Simran State	"	...	...
		Kajgarh	G. I. P.	...	...
		Kurwal	"	...	...
		Barwan	" & B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Lakhbar City	"	...	...
		<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>610 (c)</b>	<b>590 (c)</b>

(a) Figures for the period from 5th February to 11th February 1907.  
 (b) Figures for the week ending 8th February 1907.  
 (c) Figures for two weeks ending 16th February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants	Served by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
RAJ- PUTANA.		Bharatpur State . . . . .	H., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Ajmer City . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Ajmer District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Ajmer-Merwara District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Abu Road . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Nawal State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Parbhargh State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Chitor (Udaipur) State . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Tong State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Marwar State (Jodhpur) . . . .	J. B. . . . .	...	...
		Jalpur City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Jalpur State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Kishangarh Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Hissar State . . . . .	J. B. . . . .	...	...
		Jhalawar . . . . .	G. I. P. & B. B. & C. I. . . .	...	...
		Kotah . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Sirohi . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Shahpara . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	...	...
		Dholpur State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Alwar City . . . . .	H., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Alwar State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Banwar . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Karauli State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Banswara Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Banswara State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL			
JAMMU & KASHMIR.		Jammu Province . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	152	116
		Kathua District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL		152	116
N. W. F. PROVINCE.		Abbotabad Town . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	...	...
		Manara District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Banna District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Dera Ismail Khan District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Peshawar Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Peshawar District . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL		...	...
BALU- CHISTAN.		Somnath . . . . .	N. W. . . . .	...	...
		Hirok . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Bibi . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Las Bela State . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		TOTAL		...	...
GRAND TOTAL				27,284	23,411

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian  
Railways

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## RAILWAY BOARD.

## STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N. B.—As regards the figures in column Total earnings, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RESULTS OF WORKING FOR OFFICIAL YEAR.

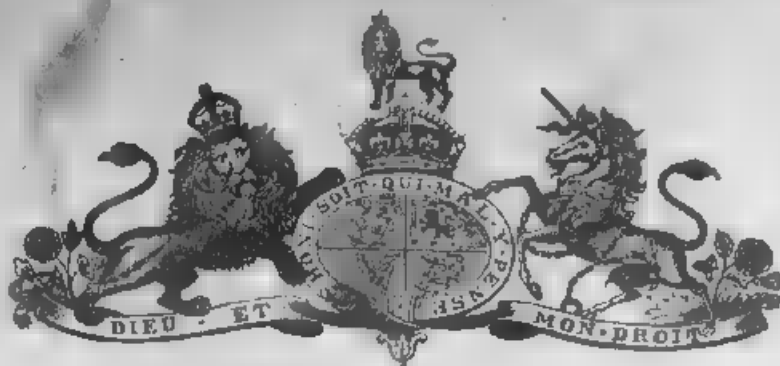
RESULTS OF WORKING DURING 1ST-HALF OF YEAR.

RAILWAYS.	AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		MEAN MILEAGE WORKED.		TOTAL EARNINGS FOR WEEK ENDING.		EARNINGS PER MILE OPEN FOR WEEK.		TOTAL EARNINGS FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST FEBRUARY 1907.		TOTAL EARNINGS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 31ST FEBRUARY 1907.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	During 1st-half of 1906.	During official year of 1905-06.	1906.	1907.	10th February 1906.	31st February 1907.	1906.	1907.	10th February 1906.	31st February 1907.	10th February 1906.	31st February 1907.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
State and Guaranteed Railways.																
Bombay, Baroda and Central India (Inclg. V. Wadhwa & 317)	280	247	1,979	2,026	6,09,200	5,08,000	308	280	34,87,880	14,85,000	2,15,46,425	2,20,11,000	2,15,46,425	2,20,11,000	13,64,575	10,063
Eastern Bengal (Inclg. of 317 and 67)	338	394	504	1,281	4,25,147	4,05,000	844	803	24,43,606	22,70,000	1,68,67,045	1,68,68,000	1,68,67,045	1,68,68,000	30,955	26,24,937
East India	744	730	2,100	2,280	16,50,174	16,21,000	285	285	98,93,122	96,63,000	6,55,86,048	6,85,20,000	6,55,86,048	6,85,20,000	29,42,052	21,02,162
Great Indian Peninsula system	701	650	1,966	1,809	13,05,927	13,55,000	839	864	78,96,890	77,73,000	4,47,03,162	4,26,01,000	4,47,03,162	4,26,01,000	6,42,594	6,42,594
Indian Midland (Inclg. Bhopalee)	171	171	180	126	34,953	27,000	283	274	1,45,372	2,31,000	8,93,106	15,57,000	8,93,106	15,57,000	16,27,059	16,27,059
Madras	243	197	914	914	2,34,824	2,90,000	257	317	14,27,378	15,87,000	79,87,941	96,15,000	79,87,941	96,15,000	7,58,871	40,100
North-East lines	344	317	843	843	2,69,817	2,55,000	319	314	16,19,870	15,11,000	1,19,25,129	1,20,61,000	1,19,25,129	1,20,61,000	5,69,576	40,080
West Coast extension (Calcutta-Ahmedabad)	851	204	494	495	1,41,422	1,51,000	286	305	7,23,549	6,72,000	56,22,516	50,53,000	56,22,516	50,53,000	4,08,000	4,08,000
North-Western (Inclg. K. K. Thal & N. D. & 67)	344	209	3,301	3,499	11,01,876	11,30,000	375	325	66,35,022	65,88,000	5,00,34,595	5,46,97,000	5,00,34,595	5,46,97,000	46,62,405	46,62,405
Orissa and Rohilkhand (Inclg. C. Burhwal & 317)	275	250	1,840	1,938	3,72,699	3,10,000	301	290	22,61,022	22,63,000	1,37,71,059	1,39,36,000	1,37,71,059	1,39,36,000	1,64,941	17,000
Assam Bengal	91	92	775	771	7,18,322	6,70,000	94	118	4,02,938	5,52,000	39,51,220	38,58,000	39,51,220	38,58,000	8,06,780	18,047
Bombay-Hyderabad (British section)	249	235	1,340	1,340	2,90,485	4,15,000	201	309	27,43,203	21,50,000	1,31,44,947	7,03,000	1,31,44,947	7,03,000	27,424	29,232
Lucknow-Bareilly	199	151	237	237	3,85,313	37,000	164	157	2,48,587	2,20,000	14,03,232	13,70,000	14,03,232	13,70,000	2,73,000	9,189
Nagpur	413	372	17	17	4,458	5,500	262	321	33,988	32,000	2,82,189	33,100	2,82,189	33,100	3,055	3,055
Punjab-Dera	52	42	17	17	863	900	51	53	4,861	4,900	21,045	23,500	21,045	23,500	2,455	2,455
Rejmanpore-Mulana (Inclg. Godhram-Rajpura & 67)	307	307	1,908	1,909	6,38,881	5,71,000	335	299	26,91,783	34,24,000	2,43,99,924	2,36,59,000	2,43,99,924	2,36,59,000	7,40,924	7,40,924
South Indian	232	232	1,124	1,121	2,40,232	9,54,000	314	225	13,86,156	14,10,000	1,12,53,696	1,14,92,000	1,12,53,696	1,14,92,000	2,38,304	2,38,304
Tanjore District Board	182	182	108	108	9,686	10,000	90	93	64,514	60,000	4,33,288	4,19,000	4,33,288	4,19,000	14,288	14,288
Tirunelveli Branch	85	85	106	106	9,686	10,000	90	93	55,549	51,700	75,84,822	77,13,000	75,84,822	77,13,000	1,28,178	1,28,178
Southern Mahratta (Inclg. Gt. M. From sec.)	108	108	1,165	1,165	8,04,458	1,87,000	176	161	10,56,803	10,31,000	20,016	35,850	20,016	35,850	15,784	15,784
Bombay-Katring	19	19	33	33	522	500	24	24	2,970	4,700	35,780	41,200	35,780	41,200	7,420	7,420
Hospur-Katring	25	25	43	43	1,273	900	30	30	6,321	5,500	16,13,915	15,75,000	16,13,915	15,75,000	38,915	38,915
Mysoor section	127	127	206	206	42,564	42,000	144	144	2,34,158	2,14,000	53,57,956	53,20,000	53,57,956	53,20,000	37,956	37,956
T. Pool State	201	201	388	388	1,51,052	1,47,000	238	238	7,73,266	8,98,000	6,67,125	6,88,000	6,67,125	6,88,000	20,875	20,875
T. Pool State	201	201	388	388	1,51,052	1,47,000	238	238	7,73,266	8,98,000	6,67,125	6,88,000	6,67,125	6,88,000	20,875	20,875

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for Secretary, Railway Board.

All other 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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 h., on Thursday, the 28th February 1907, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.**

The appearance of an area of low pressure in Gujarat on the 23rd was followed the next day by the advance into north Rajputana of a shallow depression from Persia. The two depressions merged into one, and moved eastward across northern India as a large area of slightly deficient pressure, but the disturbance was a very feeble one and had no effect upon the weather beyond giving cloud along its track, and a few very light falls of snow in Kashmir and of rain at the foot of the Simla and Mussooree hills, until it had advanced sufficiently far eastward to cause southerly winds at the head of the Bay, and thus set up conditions favourable for rain in north-east India. A few light falls of rain were in consequence reported from Deltaic Bengal and Assam on the 26th, and more general rain from the south-eastern districts of Eastern Bengal and Assam on the 27th, when Cherra Poonjee received the comparatively heavy fall of 3·62". The depression had practically disappeared on the 27th, but it gave a few light falls of rain in the upper Brahmaputra Valley on the 28th. On this day a fresh depression was entering north-west India from Persia and had given light rain in north Baluchistan.

**Burma.**—Light falls of rain occurred at Tavoy on the 23rd and at Mergui on the 24th. Skies were cloudy in the extreme north and in Tenasserim, and generally clear elsewhere. Temperature was nearly normal, except on the 25th and 26th, when it was in slight to moderate defect.

**North-east India and Orissa.**—Shillong and Darjeeling had light falls of rain on the 24th and Tezpur on the 25th, while the advance of the depression from the west gave

scattered rain in Deltaic Bengal and Assam on the 26th, more general rain in the south-eastern districts of Eastern Bengal and Assam on the 27th, and a few falls in the upper Brahmaputra Valley on the 28th. Skies were clear or only lightly clouded, except in the areas of rainfall, and temperature was nearly normal or in excess, except on the 23rd, 24th, 25th and 27th, when it was lower than usual.

*The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.*—Skies clouded over in the United Provinces the east of Central India and the north of the Central Provinces as the depression passed through the division, but during the remainder of the week they were clear. Temperature was in slight to moderate defect up to the 24th; it then rose and was nearly normal on the next two days, but on the 27th and 28th it was again in slight defect.

*North-west India.*—Light snow fell in Kashmir on the 23rd and 24th. Skies were cloudy during the first three days of the week; they then cleared, but on the 28th as the fresh depression from Persia entered north-west India, cloud reappeared in the western districts of the division. Temperature was in defect on the 22nd, but it commenced rising on the 23rd, and from the 25th onward was normal or in excess.

*The Peninsula.*—Skies were clear or only lightly clouded, and temperature was normal or in slight excess.

The rainfall of the period, from the 30th November to the 28th February, is either equal to or in excess of the normal in all parts of the Indian region, except in Baluchistan, the subdivisions of Dinajpur, Burdwan, Calcutta and Mandalay, and on the Burma coast, where it is in defect.

The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week, as reported at 8 h., each day:

February 23rd, Tavoy 0·82".

" 26th, Barisal 0·60".

" 27th, Cherra Poonjee 3·62" and Narayanganj 1·55".

RAINFALL DIVISION WITH REPRESENTATIVE STATION.	Rainfall sub-division named after representative station.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 28TH FEBRUARY 1907.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 30TH NOVEMBER 1906 TO 28TH FEBRUARY 1907.			SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
		Average actual rainfall.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1(a). Bay Islands	Port Blair	Inch.	Inch.	Inch.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	— 12	— 12
1. Burma Coast (Rangoon).	...	0	0'05	—0'05	7'48	8'51	— 1'03	— 38	— 43
2. Burma Wet (Bhamo)	...	0'16	0'18	—0'02	0'70	1'12	— 0'42	+ 24	+ 35
3. Burma Dry (Mandalay).	...	0	0'07	—0'07	1'09	0'88	+ 0'21	— 25	— 21
4. Delta of Bengal	Narayanganj	0	0'03	—0'03	0'42	0'56	— 0'14	+ 7	— 3
5. Brahmaputra Valley (Sibsagar).	Calcutta	0'65	0'44	+0'21	2'45	2'29	+ 0'16	— 53	— 46
	...	0'05	0'29	—0'24	0'74	1'57	— 0'83	+ 32	+ 23
	...	0'77	0'42	+0'35	3'43	2'59	+ 0'84		
6. Himalayas and Sub-Himalayas, East.	Dinajpur	0'07	0'14	—0'07	0'89	1'25	— 0'36	— 29	— 26
7. Indo-Gangetic Plain, East.	Darbhanga	0	0'06	—0'06	1'22	1'31	— 0'09	+ 7	+ 2
	Bahraich	0	0'12	—0'12	2'31	2'21	+ 0'10	+ 5	+ 11
	Burdwan	0'01	0'29	—0'28	0'94	1'32	— 0'38	— 29	— 10
	Patna	0	0'09	—0'09	4'32	1'33	+ 2'99	+225	+248
8. Himalayas and Sub-Himalayas, West.	Simla	0'02	0'76	—0'74	12'90	8'01	+ 4'89	+ 61	+ 78
9. Indo-Gangetic Plain, West.	Ludhiana	0'05	0'39	—0'34	7'47	4'73	+ 2'74	+ 58	+ 71
10. N.-W. Dry Area (Bikaner).	Cawnpore	0'03	0'08	—0'05	2'86	1'75	+ 1'11	+ 63	+ 69
11. Baluchistan (Quetta).	Lahore	0	0'20	—0'20	3'18	2'50	+ 0'68	+ 24	+ 35
	...	0'01	0'10	—0'09	2'67	1'78	+ 0'89	+ 50	+ 58
	...	0'13	0'44	—0'31	3'44	4'57	— 1'13	— 25	— 20
12. East Coast, North	Wakair	0	0'08	—0'08	5'04	1'55	+ 3'49	+225	+243
13. East Satpuras	Cuttack	0'13	0'16	—0'03	1'50	1'55	— 0'05	— 3	— 1
	Ranchi	0	0'25	—0'25	2'06	1'44	+ 1'22	+ 85	+124
	Raipur	0	0'10	—0'10	1'63	1'00	+ 0'63	+ 63	+ 81
	Jubbulpore	0	0'12	—0'12	4'30	1'59	+ 2'71	+170	+193
14. Central Plateau.	India	0	0'09	—0'09	3'54	1'71	+ 1'83	+107	+119
	Jhansi	0	0'06	—0'06	2'55	0'93	+ 1'62	+174	+193
	Indore	0	0'05	—0'05	1'01	0'66	+ 0'35	+ 53	+ 66
15. West Coast	Calicut	0'13	0'21	—0'08	4'06	3'66	+ 0'40	+ 11	+ 14
16. Gujarat	Bombay	0	0'01	—0'01	0'66	0'19	+ 0'41	+216	+233
17. West Satpuras (Akola).	Ahmedabad	0	0'01	—0'01	0'20	0'21	— 0'01	— 5	0
	Rajkot	0	0'01	—0'01	1'05	0'20	+ 0'85	+425	+453
	...	0	0'04	—0'04	2'64	0'97	+ 1'67	+172	+184
18. Deccan	Bellary	0	0'02	—0'02	3'27	0'65	+ 2'62	+405	+419
	Bijapur	0	0'02	—0'02	1'29	0'40	+ 0'89	+223	+239
	Hyderabad	0	0'02	—0'02	1'77	0'31	+ 1'45	+453	+638
19. South India	Mysore	0	0'04	—0'04	2'15	0'48	+ 1'67	+348	+389
20. East Coast, South (Madras).	Madras	0	0'02	—0'02	4'07	3'38	+ 0'69	+ 20	+ 23
	...	0	0'04	—0'04	16'52	11'94	+ 4'58	+ 38	+ 39

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The 28th February 1907.

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

## DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday,  
23rd February 1907.

**Burma.**—Eighty-two cents of rain fell in Tavoy and one inch and a quarter in Mergui. Winnowing of wet weather paddy is nearly completed in Lower Burma. Sowing and transplanting of dry weather paddy and harvesting of peas, beans, gram and wheat are progressing. In Upper Burma clearing and burning jungle for hill side paddy cultivation has commenced. The standing crops are good except in Mandalay where rain is needed for miscellaneous upland crops, and in the Northern Shan States where wheat and tobacco crops and poppy plants are not in good condition in places. The price of paddy has risen slightly in Myaungmya, Thaton and Mandalay, and fallen slightly in Akyab.

**Eastern Bengal and Assam.**—The weather is seasonable. Slight to moderate rain has fallen in all districts except Chittagong, Tippera, Noakhali, Malda, and Sylhet. More rain is still wanted in some districts. The prospects of the standing crops are generally fair. Transplanting of summer rice is proceeding. Preparation of land for jute and early rice is going on. Harvesting of mustard and pulses; pruning of tea; and pressing of sugarcane are in progress. Prices of common rice:—Manipur 16; Comilla  $9\frac{1}{4}$ ; Silchar 9 to  $9\frac{1}{4}$ ; Kobima, Dacca, and Chittagong 9; Rangamati, Pabna, and Malda  $8\frac{1}{4}$ ; Dinajpur  $8\frac{1}{4}$ ; Bogra  $8\frac{1}{4}$ ; Mymensingh, Rampur Boalia, Sylhet, Gauhati, Tezpur, Nowgong, and Sibsagar 8; Barisal and Dhubri  $7\frac{1}{4}$ ; Jalpaiguri and Dibrugarh  $7\frac{1}{4}$ ; Faridpur and Noakhali 7; Tura 7 to  $7\frac{1}{4}$ ; Rangpur  $6\frac{1}{4}$ ; and Shillong and Aizal 6 seers per rupee. Prices have risen in four; fallen in six; and remained stationary in the remaining districts. Three hundred and five persons received gratuitous relief in Sylhet.

**Bengal.**—Light rain was general in Bihar and Chota Nagpur. In the rest of the Province, there was no rain, except in Darjeeling and Angul, where the fall amounted to 1.56 and 1.83 inches, respectively. Harvesting of spring crops has commenced. Some crops have been slightly damaged by the recent rainfall in Patna, Shahabad and Palamau, and by hail-storms in Bankura and Ranchi. Gram is being damaged by insects in Nadia. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—Muzaffarpur 367 and Darbhanga 13,205. The number of persons on test works is—Champaran 152, Muzaffarpur 455 and Darbhanga 1,907. The number on relief works in Darbhanga is 45,894. Fodder and water are generally sufficient except in parts of Jessore. The price of common rice has risen in two and fallen in five districts; in the remaining districts it has been stationary.

**United Provinces.**—Light to moderate rain continued during the week in all districts and was accompanied by hail in twelve districts, where the crops have been somewhat damaged; the damage done was severe only in a few villages of the Aligarh district; in Basti serious injury to wheat from cloudy weather is reported and slight injury from rain or cloudy weather in parts of eight other districts; rust has caused slight damage in Furrakhabad, Hardoi, and Azamgarh. The spring crops are ripening and harvesting is in progress. Prospects are good. Sowing of extra spring crops and sugarcane continues. Poppy is good and extraction of opium has begun in Jaunpur and Mirzapur. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Food supplies and fodder are generally sufficient. Prices continue stationary.

The weekly report on the scarcity is as follows:—Slight showers were received in the Padrauna, Gorakhpur and Hata tehsils. Harvesting of spring crops has commenced. Supplies are sufficient, but fodder is scarce. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Prices are almost stationary. The numbers on relief are:—on works, 32; on gratuitous relief, 2,491; in poor houses, 345; total, 2,868.

**Punjab.**—Good to moderate rain has fallen in Hissar, Delhi, Ambala, Amritsar, Sialkot, Shahpur, Rawalpindi, and Mianwali and light rain in Gurgaon, Jullundur, Lahore, and Lyallpur. Prices of food grains are rising in Hissar and Gurgaon, falling in Rohtak, Jullundur, and Sialkot; and are unchanged elsewhere. Ploughings for and sowings of extra spring crops are in progress. Sowings of sugarcane continue in Ambala. The condition and prospects of the standing crops are generally good. Crops have been slightly damaged by hail in parts of Gurgaon, Ambala, Jullundur, Lahore, and Sialkot; by excessive rain in Ambala; by inundations in parts of Lahore and Amritsar; and by locusts in parts of Mianwali and Lyallpur. Wheat is suffering slightly from rust in parts of Sialkot. Cattle are in good condition. Fodder is sufficient. There are no complaints regarding the water supply.



**North-West Frontier Province.**—Slight showers fell in Hazara, Bannu and Dera Ismail Khan during the week. The standing crops are in excellent condition owing to fine warm weather. The water supply is ample and fodder is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition except in one village of Peshawar. Prices are easy. Prices :—Wheat 16 to 19½; gram 17½ to 24; maize 22 to 28½; and bajra 20 to 20½ seers per rupee.

**Jammu.**—No rain. Prices are stationary. Prices :—Wheat 11 to 24 and maize 11 to 36 seers per rupee. The condition of the standing crops is good. Fodder is sufficient except in the Ramban and Kishtwar tehsils.

**Kashmir.**—The weather was partially cloudy except on the last days of the week when it was bright. Prices are almost stationary.

**Rajputana.**—(Report not received.)

**Central India.**—The rainfall was general in all Agencies except Indore and Bundelkhand. Threshing of autumn crops is almost completed. Reaping of spring crops is in progress in all Agencies except Gwalior, Bhopal and Bundelkhand. The standing crops and the probable outturn are fair in Bhopal and good elsewhere. Crops have been slightly damaged by rats in Indore and by hail elsewhere except in Bundelkhand. Agricultural stock and pasturage are good except in parts of Indore and Bhopal. Prices are high in Baghelkhand and Rutlam and stationary elsewhere. Opium has been slightly damaged by hail in Malwa and Bhopawar and is good elsewhere. Weeding and watering are in progress. Collection continues in Bhopawar.

**Central Provinces.**—Rain was received during the week in ten districts ranging from an inch in Jubbulpore and Narsingpur to 17 cents in Bilaspur. Hail also fell in Bilaspur, Mandla and Yeotmal. The crops have been slightly damaged in parts of Jubbulpore, Mandla, and Balaghat by the recent rains; the damage from hail was serious in two circles of the Ramtek tehsil (Nagpur); *ringni juar* in the Garchiroli tehsil (Chanda) has been damaged by insects. Harvesting of spring crops continues and prospects are generally good. Fodder and water are sufficient everywhere. The price of wheat in seers per rupee rose by 1½ seers in Chanda and of *juar* by 3 seers in Narsingpur; rice became cheaper by 1½ seers in Amraoti; prices fluctuate little elsewhere but still continue equal to or exceed the scarcity level in Nimar, Wardha, Chanda, Balaghat, Bilaspur and Amraoti.

**Native States.**—Udaipur received 1½ inch of rain and Kwardha, Chhuikhadan, Sakti, Khairagarh and Rajnandgaon, light showers. Crops though damaged slightly in parts of Kwardha and Khairagarh are otherwise in good condition. Threshing of rice, and *kodon* (millet); sugarcane pressing; and harvesting of spring crops continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. The price of wheat and *kodon* rose by 2 and 3 seers per rupee in Chhuikhadan.

**Bombay.**—There was rain during the week in parts of Larkana, Upper Sind Frontier, Thar and Parkar, the Deccan, Kathiawar, Palanpur, Cutch and Mahi Kantha. The standing crops are in good condition except for slight damage by blight, rats, or insects in parts of Karachi; by frost, hail or rain in parts of Ahmedabad, Kaira, Kathiawar, Palanpur, Baroda, and Cutch; and by grasshoppers in parts of Broach. Harvesting of spring crops continues in parts of the Deccan and the Karnatak. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Gujarat, Karnatak, Kathiawar, Baroda, and Cutch. Preparation of lands for next season continues in the Konkan and Deccan. The supply of drinking water is generally sufficient. Water for irrigation purposes is adequate except in parts of Nasik, Poona, and Sholapur. Agricultural stock is sufficient except in parts of Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur and Cutch. Fodder supply is sufficient. The quantity of food grains purchasable per rupee is normal to 30 per cent. below.

**Hyderabad.**—Rainfall :—Nine cents. The spring harvest is in progress: crops are in fair to good condition. Late rice is being weeded. Prices :—Wheat 7½; coarse rice 7½; and jowar 15½ seers per rupee.

**Mysore.**—Prices of food grains have fallen slightly in Tumkur, Hassan, Kadur, and Shimoga and are steady elsewhere. Sowing operations are in progress. The prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

**Coorg.**—Threshing of rice is completed. Prices of food grains are stationary. Water and fodder are sufficient.

**Madras.**—There was light rain during the week in Ganjam and Tinnevely but none elsewhere. Irrigation supplies are sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Bellary, Anantapur, South Arcot, North Arcot, Salem, and Madura. Ploughing, sowing, weeding,

and transplanting are in progress in parts. The standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of Madura are withering. Harvests continue with outturn poor to normal and bumper. Pasture is sufficient except in parts of Godavari, Kistna, Bellary, Anantapur, and South Canara. Fodder is scanty in parts of Madura. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in six districts; has fallen in nine; and has slightly risen in eight. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*Ragi* is stationary in ten districts; has fallen in four; and has slightly risen in seven. *Cholam* is stationary in three districts; has fallen in four; and has slightly risen in seven. *Cumbu* is stationary in six districts; has fallen in five; and has slightly risen in five.

The number of persons in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks in each Province is shown in the following table:—

Name of Province.	PRECEDING WEEK. (REVISED FIGURES.)			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>BRITISH PROVINCES.</b>							
Eastern Bengal and Assam	...	532	532	...	305	305	—227
Bengal	55,736	15,203	70,939	48,408	13,572	61,980	—8,959
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	132	786	918	32	2,836	2,868	+1,950
<b>TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES</b>	<b>55,868</b>	<b>16,521</b>	<b>72,389</b>	<b>48,440</b>	<b>16,713</b>	<b>65,153</b>	<b>—7,236</b>

E. D. MACLAGAN,  
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.  
FAMINE.

THIRD REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE INDIAN PEOPLE'S  
FAMINE TRUST COVERING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1906.

No. 397-15-2, Calcutta, dated the 25th February 1907.

1. Four meetings of the Board were held in the year 1906. The first was held in Calcutta on the 31st January 1906 and the other three at Simla on the 9th June, 23rd June and 26th July respectively.

Board's Proceedings and grants for the relief of distress.

2. At the first meeting the accounts for 1905 were passed. An application from the Agent to the Governor General in Central India to use Rs. 1,114-5-5, the amount of unexpended balance in his hands, in granting advances to villagers within Residency limits for the purchase of grain and in generally assisting them, was considered at this meeting, but it was decided that the application must be refused as the objects proposed did not fall within the list of those upon which the Board is authorised to spend the money of the Trust. An application for the grant of 2 lakhs for the establishment of fodder depôts at Ajmer and Merwar was also considered and held over pending receipt of further information asked for by the Government of India.

3. In the month of May an application was received from the Agent to the Governor General in Central India asking for a grant of Rs. 60,000 for the relief of distress among the inhabitants of States and Thakurates in the Bundelkhand Agency. The application was considered at the 2nd meeting of the Board on the 9th June and an immediate grant of Rs. 10,000 was made—the question of further grants being held over.

4. At the 3rd meeting held on the 23rd June a further grant of Rs. 40,000 was made for the relief of distress in the Bundelkhand Agency. An application from the Government of the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh for grants aggregating Rs. 7 lakhs for relief purposes in the Agra and Allahabad Divisions was also considered and a grant of Rs. 2,75,000 sanctioned, and it was decided at the same meeting to grant a sum of Rs. 20,000 for the relief of distress in the Karauli State.

5. At the 4th meeting held on the 26th July further grants of Rs. 20,000 and Rs. 10,000 were sanctioned for relief in the Kishengurh State and Karauli State respectively.

6. During the year the Honourable Sir Denzil Ibbetson, K.C.S.I., acted as Chairman of the Board while the Chairman, the Honourable Sir Francis Maclean, K.C.I.E., K.C., was absent from India on short leave and during the vacation. The Honourable Mr. H. W. W. Reynolds was appointed a member of the Board in place of the Honourable Mr. L. A. S. Porter, C.S.I., resigned, and Mr. O. T. Barrow succeeded Mr. A. F. Cox, C.S.I., as Honorary Secretary.

Changes in the Board.

7. A statement of the assets of the Trust and an abstract of the accounts will be found in schedules I and II annexed.
8. No new investments were made in the year. On the other hand securities of the nominal value of 2 lakhs were sold in order to provide funds for the grants for the relief of distress. Government  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. securities of the face value of Rs. 4,85,000 now stand in the joint names of the Comptroller General and of the Accountant General, Bengal. They do not form part of the endowment and are available for expenditure.
9. At the annual meeting held in January 1906 the desirability of making some arrangement with the Bank of Bengal for the receipt of interests upon the Board's balance in current account by short deposit or otherwise was recognised. In accordance with this arrangement, Rs. one lakh was deposited at seven days' call on February 22nd but the deposit had to be recalled on the 14th July owing to the necessity of providing funds for the relief of distress.
10. The Miscellaneous Receipts shown in Schedule II annexed consist of small subscriptions accepted with the approval of the Governor General in Council. They include an annual subscription of Rs. 500 promised by the Raja of Athgarh.
11. The Miscellaneous Payments include an honorarium of Rs. 100 paid to a Superintendent in the office of the Comptroller General for work done in connection with the Indian People's Famine Trust Board of Management and Rs. 71-12 on account of contingent charges.
12. A donation of Rs. 4,00,000 in Government Securities as an addition to the Endowment Fund was made during the year by His Highness the Maharaja of Jaipur in commemoration of the visit of T. R. H. the Prince and Princess of Wales and with this addition the Endowment Fund now stands at Rs. 28,10,000.

O. T. BARROW,  
Honorary Secretary, Board of  
Management of the  
Indian People's Famine Trust.

## SCHEDULE L

## INDIAN PEOPLE'S FAMINE TRUST.

Statement showing details of Assets as at 31st December 1906.

	Amount.	Total.
	<i>R a. p.</i>	<i>R a. p.</i>
Endowment Fund invested in Government Securities vested in the Treasurer of charitable endowments.		
Balance brought forward from 1905 . . . . .	24,10,000 0 0	
Additions during the year—Additional Endowment by the Maharaja of Jaipur . . . . .	4,00,000 0 0	
<b>TOTAL ENDOWMENT FUND . . . . .</b>		28,10,000 0 0
Government Securities representing assets temporarily invested.		
Balance brought forward from 1905 . . . . .	6,85,000 0 0	
Add—Further purchases during the year . . . . .	<i>Nil</i>	
Less—Sales during the year . . . . .	2,00,000 0 0	
Balance at close of the year . . . . .		4,85,000 0 0
Cash in Bank of Bengal . . . . .		59,695 7 2
<b>TOTAL AVAILABLE FOR EXPENDITURE . . . . .</b>		5,44,695 7 2
<b>GRAND TOTAL . . . . .</b>		33,54,695 7 2

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## ACCOUNTS OF THE INDIAN

## Abstract of cash transactions

Receipts.	Amounts.	TOTAL.
	<i>R a. p.</i>	<i>R a. p.</i>
Interest on Government Securities vested in the Treasurer of charitable endowments . . . . .	91,350 0 0	.....
Interest on Government Securities, &c., representing assets temporarily invested . . . . .	21,694 2 2	.....
Proceeds of the sale of Government Securities . . . . .	1,97,853 8 8	.....
Refunds . . . . .	.....	.....
Transfer of balances from Provincial Committees administering grants for relief of distress . . . . .	1,115 1 2	.....
Miscellaneous Receipts . . . . .	766 7 3	.....
Deposit on account of endowment of the Maharaja of Jaipur . . . . .	4,00,000 0 0	.....
Total Receipts . . . . .	.....	7,12,789 3 3
Opening balance, 1st January 1906 . . . . .	.....	1,22,078 1 11
GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	.....	8,34,867 5 2

DULE II.

PEOPLE'S FAMINE TRUST.

or the year 1906.

Payments.	Amounts.	TOTAL.
	<i>R a. p.</i>	<i>R a. p.</i>
Purchase of Government Securities . . . . .	.....	.....
Grants for relief of distress . . . . .	3,75,000 0 0	.....
Miscellaneous Payments, Honorarium 100, Telegram charges R71-12-0; Receipt Stamps Ro-2-0.	171 14 0	.....
Refund of deposit on account of endowment of the Maharaja of Jaipur . . . . .	4,00,000 0 0	.....
Total Payments . . . . .	.....	7,75,171 14 0
Closing balance on 31st December 1906 . . . . .	.....	59,695 7 2
GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	.....	8,34,867 5 2

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

IMPORTS OF COTTON, WHEAT, LINSEED, INDIGO, JUTE, TEA, AND RICE

QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of COTTON imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in December 1906, and from 1st January to 31st December 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Whence exported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			Total		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
<b>Imports in December</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. and Assam*	18	92	735	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	92	735
Bengal	1,510	1,385	3,349	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,510	1,385	3,349
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	86,999	111,196	123,109	175,373	250,810	312,872	...	...	...	86,999	111,196	123,109
Punjab	21,057	7,553	6,781	119,746	84,482	142,596	119,783	86,554	102,720	20,057	7,553	6,781
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	51,715	48,638	62,097	51,715	48,638	62,097
Raj. & C. India	2,707	2,845	1,611	21,056	24,318	38,525	371	14	...	2,707	2,845	1,611
Bombay	...	...	...	102,568	159,202	291,216	...	...	...	102,568	159,202	291,216
Cent. Prov. and Berar	23,129	29,084	14,878	709,883	923,492	676,615	...	...	...	23,129	29,084	14,878
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	55,700	77,209	83,480	...	...	...	55,700	77,209	83,480
Madras	...	...	...	32	4	1,594	...	...	...	32	4	1,594
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	135,420	152,058	150,463	1,184,358	1,819,536	1,549,918	171,879	139,712	169,396	1,406,637	2,118,306	1,869,777
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	1,372	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,372
Bengal	2,697	10,760	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,697	10,760	...
Bombay	110	2,895	3,589	631	593	1,010	232	38	...	110	2,895	3,589
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	45,099	16,096	8,567	...	...	...	45,099	16,096	8,567
Madras	...	429	...	221	684	602	...	...	...	...	429	...
Burma	238	3,437	3,065	...	1,951	...	...	...	...	238	3,437	3,065
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	2,996	41,366	66,712	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	7	...	4	9,743	7,034	10,981	...	...	...	7	...	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	3,053	17,521	8,030	59,582	67,964	87,902	232	38	...	3,053	17,521	8,030
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	138,473	170,179	158,493	1,243,940	1,887,500	1,637,820	172,111	139,750	169,396	1,409,690	2,135,827	1,877,807
<b>Imports in and of December</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. and Assam*	24,051	12,850	62,707	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,051	12,850	62,707
Bengal	79,754	49,431	49,426	...	4	...	...	...	...	79,754	49,431	49,426
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	255,006	502,418	474,283	480,470	897,372	776,021	1,130	6,430	4,001	255,006	502,418	474,283
Punjab	67,310	114,628	85,999	311,408	422,015	349,170	699,401	669,414	292,886	67,310	114,628	85,999
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	337,081	344,702	400,703	...	...	...
Raj. & C. India	22,134	26,261	6,306	300,112	643,983	358,914	28,110	12,193	...	22,134	26,261	6,306
Bombay	12	262	4	2,698,941	2,991,241	2,813,945	...	...	...	12	262	4
Cent. Prov. and Berar	40,291	248,988	197,988	2,848,440	3,939,369	3,090,301	...	...	...	40,291	248,988	197,988
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	257,130	413,513	414,758	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	1	4	...	21,971	12,337	62,305	...	...	...	1	4	...
Mysore	...	...	...	101	620	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	486,659	945,803	826,713	6,918,963	9,263,054	7,695,646	1,065,782	1,013,710	706,866	4,471,104	11,243,326	9,436,815
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	31,686	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31,686
Bengal	62,666	48,919	42,970	399	1	484	...	...	...	62,666	48,919	42,970
Bombay	74,801	154,553	39,817	19,752	15,736	12,427	3,533	1,943	4,113	74,801	154,553	39,817
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	201,750	268,770	21,580	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	20,177	19,831	7,712	37,316	8,365	21,427	...	...	...	20,177	19,831	7,712
Burma	33,222	25,097	22,015	1,218	9,344	2,015	...	...	...	33,222	25,097	22,015
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	1,087,247	581,376	816,350	4	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	3,270	1,096	2,420	81,056	240,769	100,175	130	65	40	3,270	1,096	2,420
<b>TOTAL</b>	124,129	112,196	146,720	1,429,080	1,130,361	1,047,114	3,667	2,008	4,439	1,206,886	1,244,363	1,198,475
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	610,788	1,058,000	973,433	8,348,043	10,393,915	8,742,760	1,069,449	1,015,718	711,305	5,678,010	12,487,689	10,635,292

\* Figures previous to April 1906 relate only to Assam



QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of WHEAT imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in December 1966, and from 1st January to 31st December 1966, and in the corresponding periods of 1964 and 1965

Whence exported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			TOTAL		
	1964	1965	1966	1964	1965	1966	1964	1965	1966	1964	1965	1966
Imports in December												
By Rail and River—												
E. B. and Assam*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	292,250	117,838	2,268	...	...	...	...	...	...	292,250	117,838	2,268
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	248,126	53,424	77,287	423,610	381	811	252,593	...	...	1,535,319	53,801	79,198
Punjab	306	7,701	213,806	58,933	42,751	130,700	1,759,933	351,310	324,442	1,819,372	401,823	828,957
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	173,229	64,481	91,763	173,229	64,481	91,763
Raj. & C. India	991	5,552	1	18,992	609	7,299	...	...	...	19,083	6,221	7,800
Bombay	...	...	...	81,861	29,810	6,522	...	...	...	81,861	29,810	6,522
Cent. Provs. and Berar	1,809	28,232	23,064	227,904	168,753	16,692	...	...	...	227,913	196,985	40,586
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	13,748	6,415	80	...	...	...	13,748	6,415	80
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	1,073,692	212,208	317,427	825,048	248,799	191,995	2,186,745	495,791	616,212	4,085,475	877,398	1,413,635
By Sea—												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	98	...	189	...	...	...	98	...	189
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	7,663	84,523	169,251	...	...	...	7,663	84,523	169,251
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	100	360	4,149	...	...	...	...	...	4,149	100	360
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	162	1,953	848	438	...	...	621	1,953	848
Foreign countries	...	...	...	...	...	3,597	4	...	...	4	...	3,597
TOTAL	...	100	360	12,073	86,886	174,385	462	...	...	12,335	86,986	174,748
TOTAL IMPORTS	1,073,692	212,308	317,787	837,121	335,685	366,380	2,187,207	495,791	616,212	4,097,810	964,384	1,590,383
Imports to end of December												
By Rail and River—												
E. B. and Assam*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	518	219	2,366	...	...	...	...	...	...	518	219	2,366
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	1,628,546	1,388,832	166,301	48	11	7	...	...	...	1,628,546	1,388,832	166,301
Punjab	10,290,276	2,677,383	1,277,253	2,844,203	579,414	75,130	2,850,279	770,836	14,080	16,034,040	4,036,633	7,806,419
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	4720	293,671	830,412	880,023	1,124,667	797,814	2,129,509	15,270,777	12,811,501	27,432,312	16,044,913	14,440,437
Raj. & C. India	10,046	30,379	8,932	399,796	96,341	42,191	2,294,007	1,627,670	1,681,759	2,194,007	1,617,682	1,681,759
Bombay	...	...	...	760,479	1,282,303	113,005	4,750	230	3,103	760,479	1,280,363	113,005
Cent. Provs. and Berar	18,095	932,491	307,890	1,766,385	2,507,680	487,054	...	...	...	2,783,180	3,440,171	795,844
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	40,174	238,083	3,594	...	...	...	40,174	238,083	3,594
Madras	...	...	1,160	...	23	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	...	...	...	443	...	...	...	...	...	443	...	...
TOTAL	12,023,802	5,521,271	3,004,814	7,383,562	5,847,109	1,362,176	20,047,605	17,884,013	24,512,713	46,156,309	29,054,683	19,120,183
By Sea—												
E. B. and Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	...	...	...	88	89	...	...	...	...	88	89	...
Bombay	...	...	...	70,838	87	2,864	135	...	4	70,987	90	2,866
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	453,328	758,214	1,807,961	2	...	...	495,330	758,214	1,807,961
Madras	...	706	...	36	230	180	...	...	...	36	942	186
Burma	...	100	360	12,635	3,028	32,642	...	...	...	12,635	3,158	23,517
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	132,000	22,071	4,707	17,003	...	...	132,000	22,071	4,707
Foreign countries	72	21	213,069	40	38,210	377,274	4	293	1,733	213,069	38,210	377,274
TOTAL	72	845	213,069	712,179	814,865	1,615,539	18,134	483	1,733	712,179	815,193	1,615,539
TOTAL IMPORTS	12,023,874	5,522,116	3,208,173	8,103,771	6,661,974	3,127,715	20,065,739	17,884,496	24,514,446	46,868,488	29,869,876	20,735,722

\* Figures previous to April 1966 relate only to Assam

QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of LINSEED imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in December 1906, and from 1st January to 31st December 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Where exported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			Total		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
<b>Imports in December</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. & Assam*	...	19	540	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	94
Bengal	343,865	184,180	90,763	...	...	39	...	...	...	343,865	184,180	90,822
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	157,430	43,699	32,771	34,582	816	3,087	...	...	...	190,008	43,885	35,897
Punjab	1,070	...	...	805	...	19	734	92	154	3,320	92	171
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. & C. India	3,014	6,726	17	45,939	10,545	7,586	...	...	...	47,953	17,271	7,602
Bombay	...	...	...	44,481	34,117	47,922	...	...	...	44,481	34,117	47,922
Cent. Prov. and Berar	2,512	4,004	3,746	46,787	29,027	18,304	...	...	...	49,290	33,032	22,050
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	48,174	14,477	30,647	...	...	...	48,174	14,477	30,647
Madras	...	...	...	30	369	1,547	...	...	...	10	869	1,547
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>507,787</b>	<b>238,038</b>	<b>128,237</b>	<b>220,778</b>	<b>89,257</b>	<b>100,165</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>720,320</b>	<b>327,381</b>	<b>227,555</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. & Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	28	...	...	...	...	...	78	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	60	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	97	814	1,345	...	...	...	97	614	1,345
Foreign countries	...	...	...	1,228	308	358	...	...	...	1,228	308	358
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>1,463</b>	<b>1,582</b>	<b>1,703</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>1,463</b>	<b>1,582</b>	<b>1,703</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>507,787</b>	<b>238,038</b>	<b>128,237</b>	<b>222,241</b>	<b>90,839</b>	<b>101,868</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>721,783</b>	<b>328,963</b>	<b>229,258</b>
<b>Imports to end of December</b>												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
E. B. & Assam*	85,287	31,110	40,680	...	...	...	...	...	...	85,287	31,110	40,680
Bengal	4,450,954	1,840,486	1,775,036	...	...	3,794	...	...	...	4,450,954	1,840,486	1,775,036
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	7,238,900	441,593	651,301	669,897	61,441	40,735	8,450	1,035	...	7,238,900	441,593	651,301
Punjab	1,070	473	494	1,842	1,344	4,154	16,447	11,558	1,085	21,833	13,373	6,633
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. & C. India	44,656	89,084	91,816	581,065	228,968	141,982	138	...	...	622,850	318,051	162,800
Bombay	...	284	...	756,797	932,032	411,270	...	...	...	756,797	932,032	411,270
Cent. Prov. and Berar	27,901	247,438	95,512	807,088	690,305	515,812	...	...	...	834,089	907,544	617,330
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	1,844,146	1,139,707	726,029	...	...	...	1,844,146	1,139,707	726,029
Madras	40	430	...	48,009	17,376	22,851	...	...	...	48,009	17,376	22,851
Mysore	...	...	...	85	1,106	...	...	...	...	85	1,106	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6,246,774</b>	<b>2,650,837</b>	<b>2,585,301</b>	<b>4,403,329</b>	<b>3,076,700</b>	<b>1,942,117</b>	<b>25,036</b>	<b>11,593</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>11,275,330</b>	<b>5,733,330</b>	<b>4,585,370</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>												
E. B. & Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	319	3,805	304	...	...	...	...	...	...	319	3,805	304
Bombay	...	14,550	...	281	113	...	...	...	...	281	14,550	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	14,496	14,034	1,791	...	...	...	14,496	14,034	1,791
Madras	...	5,126	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,126	70
Burma	...	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	56,884	22,035	44,060	...	...	...	56,884	22,035	44,060
Foreign countries	...	...	500	5,207	3,815	5,795	15	13	...	5,222	5,828	6,599
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>23,485</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>76,868</b>	<b>48,017</b>	<b>51,359</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>77,204</b>	<b>65,513</b>	<b>53,430</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>6,247,093</b>	<b>2,674,322</b>	<b>2,586,175</b>	<b>4,480,197</b>	<b>3,124,717</b>	<b>1,993,476</b>	<b>25,053</b>	<b>11,606</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>11,352,534</b>	<b>5,798,843</b>	<b>4,638,800</b>

\* Figures previous to April 1906 relate only to Assam

QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of INDIGO imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, the City of BOMBAY, and KARACHI, in December 1906, and from 1st January to 31st December 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Whence imported	Calcutta			City of Bombay			Karachi			TOTAL		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
Imports in December												
Rail and River—												
E. B. & Assam*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	13,308	8,891	14,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,308	8,891	14,030
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	1,272	424	1,385	...	4	...	...	...	...	1,272	428	1,385
Punjab	...	...	...	...	...	7	339	1,040	372	339	1,040	379
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	119	73	170	119	73	170
Raj. & C. India	...	...	...	23	1	4	...	...	...	23	1	4
Bombay	...	...	...	64	4	16	...	...	...	64	4	20
Cent. Prov. and Berar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhram's Territory	...	...	...	124	267	185	...	...	...	124	167	185
Madras	...	...	...	354	27	406	...	...	...	354	27	406
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	14,580	9,315	15,306	905	251	618	458	1,113	542	15,603	10,681	14,660
Sea—												
E. B. & Assam	...	...	...	...	68	...	...	...	...	...	68	...
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	8	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	260	444	491	...	...	...	260	444	491
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port of India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	...	3	1	...	209	114	...	10	...	...	122	119
TOTAL	...	3	1	260	621	605	...	18	...	260	642	607
TOTAL IMPORTS	14,580	9,318	15,307	825	874	1,218	458	1,131	542	15,863	11,323	15,267
Imports to end of December												
Rail and River—												
E. B. & Assam*	24,713	17,052	19,082	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,713	17,052	19,082
Bengal	2,939	2,242	2,908	15	18	...	...	...	...	2,939	2,260	2,914
U. P. of Agra & Oudh	...	47	...	...	13	21	3,511	4,851	3,532	3,512	4,870	3,533
Punjab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	7	...	...	4,941	1,125	1,213	1,246	1,125	1,213
Raj. & C. India	...	...	...	48	20	4	...	...	...	48	20	4
Bombay	...	...	...	76	103	64	...	...	...	76	101	64
Cent. Prov. and Berar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhram's Territory	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	430	688	835	...	...	...	430	688	835
Mysore	...	...	...	2,214	1,100	1,084	...	...	...	2,214	1,100	1,084
TOTAL	27,704	19,341	21,990	2,851	1,980	2,045	5,452	5,976	5,345	35,987	27,897	30,330
Sea—												
E. B. & Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	10	76	...	135	669	66	...	...	...	163	713	68
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	26	1	...	26	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	2,068	4,085	3,072	...	...	...	2,068	4,085	3,072
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port of India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	...	658	1	...	773	1,009	...	285	10	...	1,017	1,030
TOTAL	11	734	1	3,636	4,507	3,048	5	813	81	3,632	5,313	3,078
TOTAL IMPORTS	27,715	20,075	21,991	6,487	6,487	5,093	5,457	6,189	5,366	39,619	33,210	34,408

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QUANTITY (in hundredweight) of JUTE, TEA, and RICE imported by rail and river and by sea into CALCUTTA, in December 1906, and from 1st January to 31st December 1906, and in the corresponding periods of 1904 and 1905

Wharves reported	JUTE			TEA			RICE		
	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906	1904	1905	1906
<b>Imports in December</b>									
<i>By Rail and River—</i>									
E. B. and Assam	20,752	35,764	1,883,537	73,800	103,800	211,871	537	88	5,665
Bengal	1,005,474	2,638,204	1,863,503	42,301	66,502	14,054	98,328	1,147,158	368,770
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	(3,063)	11,150	14,121	...	94	1	100	28	3,403
Punjab	...	...	...	32	4	...	50	57	389
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	173	689	...	1	...	1	18,896	38	8,284
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	59	45	...	1	...	233	30	317
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,019,413</b>	<b>2,686,866</b>	<b>3,867,304</b>	<b>116,131</b>	<b>174,401</b>	<b>226,827</b>	<b>940,270</b>	<b>1,147,316</b>	<b>378,466</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>									
E. B. and Assam	...	...	353	...	...	730	...	...	...
Bengal	...	100,583	16,952	440	1,580	...	191	6,103	8,720
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	1,328	...	...	...	145	111	...	...	733
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	385	1,241	31,760
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	...	...	...	24	66	120	45	227	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>100,583</b>	<b>17,304</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>1,791</b>	<b>971</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>7,731</b>	<b>42,223</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>1,020,741</b>	<b>2,787,449</b>	<b>3,884,608</b>	<b>116,595</b>	<b>176,192</b>	<b>227,798</b>	<b>940,866</b>	<b>1,155,047</b>	<b>420,689</b>
<b>Imports to end of December</b>									
<i>By Rail and River—</i>									
E. B. and Assam	145,205	304,879	8,869,972	1,048,235	954,404	1,333,830	68,198	57,096	95,434
Bengal	15,818,538	15,865,791	9,772,803	401,207	406,235	182,597	2,200,388	10,969,523	8,307,308
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	29,602	38,008	46,755	1,210	1,395	302	3,071	4,875	38,437
Punjab	...	...	...	2,161	69	3	310	503	33,348
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajputana and Central India	...	...	...	1	...	1	16	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	9	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nizam's Territory	177	11,854	1,251	1	...	6	27,411	39,005	132,390
Madras	...	60	73	4	...	...	1	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15,020,522</b>	<b>16,120,649</b>	<b>18,690,014</b>	<b>1,512,850</b>	<b>1,432,112</b>	<b>1,516,868</b>	<b>8,302,682</b>	<b>10,675,177</b>	<b>8,047,474</b>
<i>By Sea—</i>									
E. B. and Assam	...	...	69,861	...	...	8,420	...	...	...
Bengal	33,280	260,266	175,618	7,274	7,970	1,867	120,041	298,013	840,027
Bombay	...	...	...	108	105	21	134	112	180,731
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	11,280	1,605	81	476	1,228	517	687	...	28,570
Burma	...	...	...	3	2	29	58,845	44,723	33,001
Non-British Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	195	87	99	2,014	3,306	1,276	1,377	1,274	87,230
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>44,818</b>	<b>261,959</b>	<b>245,559</b>	<b>10,035</b>	<b>11,801</b>	<b>12,333</b>	<b>182,044</b>	<b>342,124</b>	<b>2,908,729</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>16,065,340</b>	<b>16,382,601</b>	<b>18,935,573</b>	<b>1,522,885</b>	<b>1,443,913</b>	<b>1,529,201</b>	<b>8,484,726</b>	<b>11,017,301</b>	<b>11,956,203</b>

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN THE SECOND HALF OF  
JANUARY 1907 OF:

RICE  
WHEAT AND FLOUR  
BARLEY  
JAWAR  
BAJRA  
RAGI  
KANOHI

MAIZE  
GRAM AND PULSE  
LINSEED  
MUSTARD AND RAPSEED  
SESAMUM (*Til* or *jirjili*)  
GHI  
SUGAR

SALT  
TOBACCO  
TURMERIC  
GRAM AND STRAW  
JAWAR STALKS  
SHEEP AND BULLOCKS

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WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF JANUARY

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
<b>Burma—</b>												
Tenasserim—												
Mergal . . . .	...	...	38.55	37.87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . .	...	...	30.77	29.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North-east Amherst . . . .	...	...	39.02	35.16	55.65	55.65	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Bangon . . . .	...	...	123.48	25.4	39.03	29.37	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin . . . .	...	...	30.16	32.99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassain . . . .	...	...	47.41	41.03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Hessada . . . .	...	...	38.33	30.19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . .	...	...	...	31.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay . . . .	...	...	32.16	32.16	35.4	22.97	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku . . . .	...	...	36.73	36.95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arahan—												
Akyab . . . .	...	...	...	26.35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Eastern Bengal and Assam—</b>												
Eastern—												
Chittagong . . . .	...	...	42.5	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca . . . .	...	...	39.75	...	40	40	...	...	...	28.5	...	...
Central—												
Fabun . . . .	...	...	50	43.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Baogpur . . . .	...	...	57.5	36.75	40	36	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Golapara . . . .	32.5	23.75	60.62	42.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati . . . .	27.5	...	45	37.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—	32.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Midnapur . . . .	...	...	53.75	38.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calcutta . . . .	...	...	63.75	57.5	27.5	37.5	...	...	27.5	27.5	...	23.5
Central—												
Bardwan . . . .	...	...	48.75	38.44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oriya—												
Cuttack . . . .	...	...	38.12	32.19	30.47	32.34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Patna . . . .	...	...	41.25	31.87	34.25	41.27	...	...	25	25	26.25	36.75
Bihar, north—												
Bhagalpur . . . .	...	...	45	35.62	35	45	...	...	31.87	20.25	...	...
Muzaffarpur . . . .	...	...	44.37	33.28	36.25	40	...	...	20.56	20.25	...	...
<b>United Provinces—</b>												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
Benares . . . .	23.7	20.26	44.45	34.9	34.27	37.66	41.98	45.83	35.73	29.37	23.50	28.75
Central—												
Cawnpore . . . .	19.06	22.34	40	30.23	30.78	30.07	31.79	43.23	21.04	30.21	17.4	30.79
Jhansi . . . .	...	30.31	40.22	44.43	30.52	30.06	...	...	22.5	26.27	15.37	31.27
Western—												
Morad . . . .	...	...	50	50	28.59	30.25	31.67	33.09	21.33	...	22.19	...
Agra . . . .	30.21	30.78	60.56	50.27	31.98	42.08	40	48.54	19.58	20.78	18.15	34.79
Submontane, west—												
Ehrajahpur . . . .	21.04	22.24	...	...	29.37	42.06	...	...	21.04	31.98	20	30
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Lucknow . . . .	22.5	20	44.37	37.5	30	38.54	40	47.03	23.14	34.58	20	29.23
Northern—												
Fyzabad . . . .	25	23.75	52.5	42.5	33.28	40	...	...	27.5	35.12	35	30

\* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ton maunds)

BAJRA.		RAGI		MAIZE		GRAM		ARRHIS DAL		LINSSEED		DISTRICTS
1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	
												Burma—
												Toungay—
												Mergui
												Tavoy
												Moulmein
												Amherst
												Pegu (delta)—
												Bangkok
												Maubin
												Sassan
												Pegu (inland)—
												Hanada
												Toungoo
												Upper Burma—
												Mandalay
												Pakokku
												Arakan—
												Akyab
												Eastern Bengal and
												Assam—
												Eastern—
												Chittagong
												Dacca
												Central—
												Fabna
												Northern—
												Rangpur
												Brahmaputra—
												Goalpara
												Gauhati
												Bengal—
												Dacca—
												Midnapur
30	45			25	30	31.25	30	57.5	45	42.5	47.5	Calcutta
						36.25	35	55	50	51.25	53.75	Central—
												Hardwar
						33.12	31	58.75	45.00			Orissa—
												Cuttack
						33.8	35.42	30.47	27.00			Bihar, south—
21.25				26.57		26.75	25.12	55	50	50	56.25	Patna
												Bihar, north—
				30		31.25	28.75	56.87	48.44		50	Bhagalpur
				27.5	31.87	30.78	28.99	53.12	40			Muzaffarpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
20.20	20.27				20.25	20.25	20.57	52.4	45.53		40.91	Benares
20	21.25			18.53	22.07	25.76	31.25	45.40	30.78	44.43	47.08	Central—
18.44	21.29			17.03	20.37	22.08	33.06				53.94	Cannore
				22.19	27.66	24.07	20.00					Jhansi
												Nasir—
17.6	24.79			20.78	31.06	34.63	24.06	55.16	50	50.58	57.18	Morad
23.45	31.06				26.54	27.6	26.35				50	Agra
												Submontane, west—
												Shahjahanpur
20	20.60			20.94	20.25	26.25	28.38	60	31.87	48.75	50	(b) OUDH—
												Southern—
												Lucknow
24.27					20.75	27.6	29.5					Northern—
												Meerut

## WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF JANUARY—continued

Districts	MUSTARD AND RAPSEED		BRANUM (Tel or jingila)		GMI		SUGAR, RAW (Qar)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
<b>Burma—</b>												
<b>Tenasserim—</b>									1936	1584		
Mergui									2051	2051		
Tavoy									1577	1577		
Moulmein and Amherst												
<b>Pegu (deltaic)—</b>									1906	1729		
Bangoon									2244	2244		
Maubin									2261	2261		
Bassein												
<b>Pegu (inland)—</b>									2320	2100		
Howada									2402	2402		
Toungoo												
<b>Upper Burma—</b>									2204	227		
Mandalay									2201	2471		
Pakokku												
<b>Arahan—</b>									25	2202		
Akyab												
<b>Eastern Bengal and Assam—</b>												
<b>Eastern—</b>									2275	2094	55	50
Chittagong	80	6825			450	200	60	60	2275	2094	55	100
Dacca					450	450	575	60	2275	2094	575	100
<b>Central—</b>									2025	20	70	70
Fabna	725	60			650	580	50	55	2025	20	70	70
<b>Western—</b>									275	20	70	2025
Rangpur					470	425	70	4575	275	20	70	2025
<b>Brahmaputra—</b>												
Goalpara	525	55					725	70				
Goalhati	55	5375					65					
<b>Bengal—</b>												
<b>Dacca—</b>									225	225	75	65
Mirdrapur	{ 45 and 60 }	{ 4125 and 5625 }			425	225	50	525	{ 225 and 2519 }	{ 225 and 2575 }	{ 75 and 100 }	{ 65 and 80 }
Chalcia	60	5127	575	425	440	410	575	525	2125	25	65	80
<b>Central—</b>									2219	2075		
Bardwan	60	60			410	365	4525	475	2219	2075		
<b>Orissa—</b>									2125	25	6094	6094
Cuttack	65	6094	5427	5925	22094	22094	25	4705	2125	25	6094	6094
<b>Bihar, south—</b>									2400	2407	20	25
Patna	4697	5875	50	70	260	250	275	45	2400	2407	20	25
<b>Bihar, north—</b>									2422	2525	6595	65
Bhagalpur	475 { 50 and 5502 }				410	240	2512	40	2422	2525	6595	65
Masafarpur					25502	25502	40	2525	2525	275	12025	60
<b>United Provinces—</b>												
<b>(a) AGRA—</b>												
<b>Eastern—</b>									4100			
Benzar	675	2091	2041	207	42007	37220	2070	4100				
<b>Central—</b>									4200		70	65
Cannore	5935	4445	5510	6156	37545	30474	4194	4200			70	65
Jhansi					35502	32928	4705	50				
<b>Western—</b>									5719			
Masrat		2544			26781	24594	4107	5719				
Agre	782	50			27051	25558	4854	6401			150	70
<b>Submontane, west—</b>												
Bijnor		5712			400	220						
<b>(b) OUDH—</b>												
<b>Southern—</b>											70	70
Lucknow	725	2067			400	340	40	45			70	70
<b>Northern—</b>									4125			
Fyzabad					340	260	275	4125				





## WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF JANUARY—continued

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNDRERED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
<b>Rajputana—</b>												
Eastern— Ajmer	26.67	26.67	...	...	19.33	41.43	...	...	22.6	37.10	30.31	34.06
<b>Punjab—</b>												
Southern— Ferozpur	22.12	21.25	40	40	25	37.97	30.67	43.75	17.34	35	...	...
Central— Lahore	38.59	29.68	57.13	33.88	12.66	35.16	24.63	39.27	14.53	24.22	...	28.63
South-eastern— Dulhi	...	...	47.03	47.03	30.78	40	35	43.1	10.06	29.68	19.06	27.68
Submontane— Amritsar	25.76	26.67	48.28	42.23	22.60	33.33	26.77	27.19	...	...	20.52	31.68
Northern— Bawalpindi	30	22.12	48.33	50	21.93	29.84	21.78	33.63	14.79	23.10	16.77	23.49
Western— Multan	30	21.36	38.12	35	27.19	33.28	...	...	17.19	...	* 17.19	25.78
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>												
Karachi	...	...	41.25	38.75	20.00	36.25	...	...	20.31	...	...	26.67
Shikarpur	...	...	34.75	36.25	26.41	...	...	...	16.12	22.5	13.75	22.5
Quetta	...	...	...	...	30 to 31.47	40 to 43.75	57.19	56.75	28.12	27.5	21.35	26.75
<b>Bombay—</b>												
Dacca and Koraikah— Dharwar	...	...	41.82	42.6	42.60	38.54	...	...	...	...	20.35	25.32
Bhopalpur	...	...	47.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21.09	27.92
Poona	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and H.E.— Dacca	...	...	...	43.23	35.72	37.9	...	...	...	...	21.2	31.04
Ahmadnagar	...	...	52.21	...	35.07	...	...	...	...	...	25.16	31.45
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Barat	35.59	34.58	54.06	...	43.23	42.5	...	...	...	...	27.4	31.72
Ahmadabad	...	...	47.5	47.5	32.6	40.94	...	...	...	...	...	30.75
<b>Central Provinces—*</b>												
Western— Nagpur	...	...	39	45	29	39	40	30	...	...	26	23.37
Central— Jabalpur	...	...	38	38	20.02	25.23	40	44.67	...	...	21.02	23.5
Eastern— Raipur	...	...	32	36	25.5	33	31	40	...	...	...	...
<b>Berar—</b>												
Akola	...	...	49.25	45.75	30.75	36.37	...	45.75	...	...	20.31	23.37
Amnoli	...	...	47.5	47.5	41.25	36.75	44	42	...	...	24.37	24.02
<b>Madras—</b>												
South, central— Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21.8	29.1
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central— Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23.5	25.3
Gundlupet	22.5	22.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	29.7
Karnal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south— Madras	25.9	27	51.0	45.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	30.6	33.8	44.1	46.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23.1	23.3
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore	24.47	27.2	49.37	42.07	54.85	52.91	35.48	52.76	...	...	23.99	27.43
Bangalore	21.25	22.39	55	45.18	48	35.01	59.63	64.47	...	...	...	...

\* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of cleaned rice or shelled.

(The figures state prices in rupees per ton minus 10)

RAJRA		RAOI		MAIZEN		GRAM		ARJAN DAL		LINSERD		Districts
1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	
20	40	...	...	20	34-55	23-75	34-04	...	...	72-71	61-85	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer
...	...	...	...	20	22-10	21-09	26-73	...	...	...	...	Panjab— Southern— Ferozpur
15-50	29-06	...	...	15-03	27-6	19-37	22-99	54-01	43-19	50-09	42-73	Central— Lahore
22-19	31-34	...	...	22-31	29-03	23-54	30-78	61-58	50	57-19	50	South-eastern— Delhi
...	...	...	...	15-98	27-6	21-04	25-78	...	...	...	...	Submontane— Amritsar
17-4	36-67	...	...	17-4	22-18	21-04	20-67	80	44-43	50	33-33	Northern— Rawalpindi
20	29-58	...	...	...	25	23-19	27-60	...	...	...	...	Western— Multan
23-12	32-08	...	...	...	...	25-62	...	...	...	...	...	Hind and Baluchistan— Karachi
17-41	30-54	...	...	...	...	23-28	...	...	...	...	...	Ghakarpar
...	...	...	...	22-19	32-5	...	...	70	47-5	...	...	Quetta
24-59	...	...	...	...	...	26-77	33-28	49-00	...	...	...	Bombay— Ocean and Karnatak— Dharwar
10-22	...	...	...	...	...	31-73	36-28	...	...	41-04	52-19	Sholapur
20-15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
21-08	30-46	...	...	...	...	...	37-54	...	...	...	...	Karnatak and N.E. Dharwar— Ahmednagar
26-15	37-13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dhule
25-24	35-04	...	...	...	...	35-91	41-82	...	53-33	...	...	Gujarat— Surat
25	36-35	...	...	...	...	25-71	34-79	41-25	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	34	24	40	41	33-23	...	Central— Jabalpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	29-02	23-25	56-03	42	47	47	Katwa— Raipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	35	33	43	40	...	...	Bihar— Akhola
...	...	...	...	...	...	36	37-5	45-75	39-75	...	30	Amritoti
...	...	...	...	...	...	33	33-75	43-75	35-75	45	52-5	Madras— South, central— Coimbatore
28	31-5	...	...	...	...	51-5	40-8	...	...	...	...	Nalem
...	...	25-3	21-9	...	...	...	...	32-8	29-4	...	...	Central— Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	37	37	29-4	...	...	...	Cuddapah
22-6	26-7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karikal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, central— Nellore
...	...	20	20-5	...	...	...	...	45	27-2	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	37-2	39-7	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	20-7	20-5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Southern— Madras
21-8	20-4	...	...	...	...	...	...	25-0	30-4	...	...	Mysore— Mysore
...	...	20-45	27-45	...	...	25-37	23-71	53-42	40-37	...	...	Bangalore
...	...	27-5	27-71	...	...	33	34-84	58	45-4	...	...	

## WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF JANUARY—concluded

DISTRICTS	MUSTARD AND RAPSEED		SESAMUM (Til or Jangh)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (Qals)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF	
	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Ajmer . . . .	...	...	66.01	71.09	48.87	55.52	60	61.53	...	...	...	...
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Ferozpur . . . .	...	...	...	...	480	364	64.27	50	...	...	80	80
Central—												
Lahore . . . .	57.71	61.94	65.07	60.25	412.28	389.12	48.40	68.07	...	...	61.26	60.87
South-eastern—												
Delhi . . . .	57.19	61.50	65.87	60.46	448.12	378.25	40	61.36	...	...	80	70.5
Subsidiary—												
Amritsar . . . .	47.08	44.43	70	60	...	395	42.08	...	...	...	82.75	...
Northern—												
Rawalpindi . . . .	80	44.43	65.87	50	400	355.47	44.43	61.51	...	...	...	...
Western—												
Multan . . . .	42.24	...	...	39.27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180
Sind and Beluchistan—												
Karachi . . . .	...	...	...	...	442.5	400	85	61.87	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur . . . .	...	...	...	...	440	385	42.28	61.87	...	...	...	...
Quetta . . . .	...	...	...	...	570 to 580	580 to 490	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—												
Deccan and Konkan—												
Dharwar . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	55.20	...	...	...	191.98	...
Sholapur . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	61.2	60.43	...	...	99.23	...
Poona . . . .	...	...	...	...	431.04	...	64.9	...	...	...	...	...
Kandah and N.E.												
Deccan—												
Ahmednagar . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat—												
Surat . . . .	...	...	67.03	72.03	400	...	59.48	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad . . . .	...	...	...	...	350	330	55	62.75	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—												
Western—												
Nagpur . . . .	...	...	71	...	480	400	...	...	28.25	...	...	...
Central—												
Jabalpur . . . .	47	47	61.5	55.25	340	340	...	...	50.75	20	114.25	60.22
Eastern—												
Bilpur . . . .	...	...	48	50	365	340	...	...	28	29	185	204
Bihar—												
Akola . . . .	...	60.37	68.62	54	381	381	...	...	24.44	25	183.27	142.87
Amroha . . . .	62.5	50	58.75	55.75	420	380	...	...	26	25	120	170
Madras—												
South, central—												
Coimbatore . . . .	...	...	72.4	72.2	437.8	386.4	41.6	48	...	...	119.8	126.8
Salem . . . .	...	...	...	...	386.1	365.2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Bellary . . . .	...	...	48.4	51.5	412.7	380.9	51.5	63.8	...	...	...	...
Ouddepah . . . .	...	...	...	...	384.7	312.6	...	...	...	...	74.1	74
Karnul . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—												
Nellore . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras . . . .	...	...	55.5	57.6	325	362.1	54.2	61.7	...	...	123.4	115.3
Tanjore . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123.4	123.4
Trichinopoly . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern—												
Madura . . . .	...	...	60.4	72.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	100.2	104.6
Mysore—												
Mysore . . . .	...	...	70.55	68.19	457.6	383.28	100.06	49.37	...	...	235.68	230.28
Bangalore . . . .	...	...	56.25	62.60	445.66	402.86	64.27	55.78	...	...	235.68	231.41

\* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

TURNERIO		GRASS		STRAW		JAWAR STALKS		SHEEP, PER SCORE		PLOUGH BULLOCKS, PER PAIR		DISTRICTS
1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	1907	1906	
...	...	8'15	8'01	4'23	7'07	4'45	7'07	125	140	85	85	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmer
...	...	8'28	8'38	5'78	5	...	6'25	80	80	90	90	Punjab— Southern— Ferozpur
143'24	127'56	10	13'53	4'84	8'44	...	...	150	200	100	100	Central— Lahore
145'47	114'27	8'07	18'38	6'07	16'91	3'91	16'07	90	75	120	110	South-eastern— Delhi
114'27	110	...	...	5'78	11'41	...	...	140	92	...	...	Submontane— Amritsar
20	133'53	5'78	13'38	5	6'07	5	8'91	80	50	70	70	Northern— Bawalpindi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Western— Multan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	...	Sind and Baluchistan— Karachi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balkharpur
...	...	...	...	5'02	11'25	...	...	120 to 400	60 to 200	...	...	Quetta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay— Deccan and Karnatak— Dharwar Sholapur Poona
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khandesh and N.E. Deccan— Ahmadnagar Dhule
120'74	...	8'5	...	...	...	5'78	...	...	75	...	...	Gujarat— Surat Ahmedabad
120	...	8'75	...	...	...	13'25	...	80	80	100	100	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur
123'25	108'62	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	35	50	40	Central— Jubbulpore
100	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	25	Eastern— Raipur
125'75	114'26	...	8'5	...	...	...	7	60	70	75	90	Bihar— Akoah Arrah
194	134	6	6	...	...	19	10'5	55	55	90	80	Madras— South, central— Channarayana Chennai
112	96	...	...	10'1	7'7	4	4	75	75	50	50	Central— Bellary Channarayana Karnal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, central— Nellore
...	...	...	...	2'9	6'4	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras Tanjore Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Southern— Madurai
100'27	100'01	8'24	11'41	5'24	6'21	6'15	5	100	100	70	70	Mysore— Mysore
111'41	102'80	4'43	8'08	5'1	9'70	...	3'08	160	100	120 to 150	120 to 150	Bangalore

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† Sheep or goats

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RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF 1901												
DISTRICTS	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoidesum)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—							9 15	9 15				
Mergol	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Tavoy	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Moulmein	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Amherst	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Bangoon	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Mawla	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Bassia	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Hennada	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Prome	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Toungoo	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Thayetmyo	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Bamo	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Pakokta	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Mektila	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Assam—												
Doodoway	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Kynabpya	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Akyab	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Eastern Bengal and Assam—												
Chittagong	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Noakhali	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Backerganj	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Maimensingh	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Tippora	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Dacca	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Fariapur	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Central—												
Pahna	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Rajshahi	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Malda	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Bogra	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Northern—												
Jalpaiguri	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Dinapur	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Rangpur	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Sumra—												
Sylhet	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Cachar	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Hill tracts—												
Khasi and Jaintia Hills	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Garo Hills	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Manipur	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Naga Hills	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Lushai Hills	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Brahmaputra—												
Goalpara	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Dibrugarh	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Darrang	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Xowong	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Sibsagar	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15
Lakhimpur	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15	12 11	12 11	10 15	10 15	10 15	10 15

state the number of sers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee)

MADRAS OR RASI (Eleusine scroscana)		KANGNI OR KANUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAI, OR KUNAGA (Urochloa aristata)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ANNAR OR THUR, CADJAN PRA (Oryza indica)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 14	18 14	Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47 12	17 12	Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	9 5	9 5	...	...	7 9	7 9	16 4	16 4	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Monmaia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Amherst
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	18 —	18 —	Pegu (Belgaia)—
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	12 12	12 12	18 8	18 8	Pegu
...	...	...	...	7 16	7 16	...	...	...	...	15 1	15 1	Bangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassia
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 4	14 4	Pegu (Island)—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	18 2	18 2	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	Hennada
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	8 10	8 10	14 8	14 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Thayebuyo
...	...	...	...	11 7	11 7	...	...	8 —	6 —	17 —	17 2	Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 1	11 1	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	10 7	10 7	14 3	14 3	Bam
...	...	...	...	15 13	15 13	27 1	27 —	9 —	8 10	18 2	18 —	Pakokka
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Meiktila
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Kyaukpada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Eastern Bengal and
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Awsam—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	16 —	14 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 —	14 —	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	13 14	13 14	Maironsingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 18	12 18	Tippara
...	...	...	...	18 —	18 4	...	...	6 6	6 4	18 12	19 12	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Faridpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	16 —	Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Pabna
...	...	...	...	11 4	10 8	...	...	...	5 4	14 4	14 —	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	10	10 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 10	...	...	9 15	9 15	15	15 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Northern—
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 6	14 —	14 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 4	...	...	7 —	6 14	18 —	12 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	12 —	12 —	Rangpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surma—
...	...	...	...	6 8	6 —	...	...	6 12	6 8	13 —	12 8	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cachar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 4	Hill tracts—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khari and Jaintia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hills
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	5 8	5 —	8 —	8 —	Garo Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Manipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Naga Hills
...	...	...	...	5 10	6 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lushai Hills
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Oklaipara
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Kamrup
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darrang
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Miragar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lakhimpur

## RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF JANUARY 1907—continued (The figures)

Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
<b>Bengal—</b>												
<i>Dacca—</i>												
Khulna . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	0 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Midnapur . . .	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Howrah . . .</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Calcutta . . .	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	4 —	8 14	...	...	12 —	12 —
Roohly . . .	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagar) .	10 8	13 5	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 9	...	...	...	...
Jessore . . .	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Central—</i>												
Bankura . . .	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bardwan . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum . . .	9 12	9 —	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad . .	11 —	11 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 4	8 8	...	...	...	...
Santâl Parganas .	9 —	9 8	13 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Darjeeling . . .	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>												
Parl . . .	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	10 8	9 12	...	...	...	...
Cuttack . . .	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Balasore . . .	12 —	11 12	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bambulpur . . .	12 4	12 4	...	...	...	...	11 —	1 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Chota Nagpur—</i>												
Singbhum . . .	11 8	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kônbhum . . .	11 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bînôhi . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Palâman . . .	10 11	10 2	13 8	13 8	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Hazâribâgh . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	15 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, south—</i>												
Monghyr . . .	12 8	11 12	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Gaya . . .	11 4	12 4	12 5	14 5	...	...	9 8	9 11	13 5	14 5	...	...
Patna . . .	11 8	11 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	9 8	9 —	15 —	15 8	15 —	15 —
Shahabad . . .	10 12	11 —	12 —	13 —	...	...	11 8	10 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihar, north—</i>												
Patna . . .	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Râgalspur . . .	11 6	11 6	12 10	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga . . .	11 —	11 —	13 8	15 8	...	...	8 14	8 14	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur . .	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 9	8 2	...	...	...	...
Sâra . . .	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Champâra . . .	10 —	10 —	14 —	15 8	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
to . . .	11 —	11 —	14 —	15 8	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	...	...	...
<b>United Provinces:</b>												
<i>(a) Agra—</i>												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Mirzapur . . .	11 —	11 8	14 8	14 8	6 —	6 —	9 8	9 8	16 8	16 8	15 —	15 —
Buzurg . . .	11 6	11 6	14 0	14 13	6 6	6 6	8 10	8 10	16 4	16 4	15 8	15 8
Ghâsiyur . . .	11 —	11 —	12 14	12 14	6 10	6 10	8 10	8 12	15 10	14 8	14 10	14 10
Jâunpur . . .	10 8	10 8	15 —	12 8	5 8	5 8	8 8	7 —	15 —	14 —	15 8	15 8
<i>Allahabad . .</i>	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	17 8	17 —	16 8	16 —
<i>Central—</i>												
Banda . . .	11 12	12 —	14 —	14 —	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	23 —	23 —	19 —	19 —
Fatehpur . . .	10 8	10 4	13 8	13 8	3 —	7 —	9 8	9 8	20 8	19 —	18 —	17 —
Hamirpur . . .	11 8	11 —	13 12	14 4	3 —	6 —	8 8	8 8	25 4	24 —	21 —	20 8
Jaloun . . .	11 —	11 4	12 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	7 8	7 8	25 —	23 —	22 —	21 —
Qawnpur . . .	12 8	13 12	15 8	17 —	5 11	6 8	9 8	9 8	28 8	19 8	19 8	18 —
Jhansi . . .	12 12	13 2	15 —	17 5	5 —	5 —	8 —	7 4	24 12	24 8	21 14	20 12
Etawah . . .	11 12	11 4	16 8	16 8	5 —	5 —	7 8	10 —	28 8	20 8	22 —	19 12
Farrukhabad . .	11 14	11 8	17 14	17 —	5 4	5 6	9 8	9 8	19 3	16 16	16 8	16 8
Mathura . . .	13 —	12 —	14 —	16 4	4 —	4 —	9 —	10 —	18 —	16 —	16 8	16 8
Etah . . .	13 —	12 8	17 —	15 —	5 —	5 —	8 8	9 —	18 —	18 8	18 —	15 8
<i>Western—</i>												
Muzut . . .	13 8	13 8	16 —	18 8	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	17 8	17 8	16 8	16 8
Agra . . .	12 4	11 12	16 4	16 12	5 12	5 4	8 12	8 4	20 4	18 12	18 4	16 12
Muttra . . .	11 12	11 12	17 —	16 9	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	19 8	19 8	18 —	17 12
Aligarh . . .	12 8	12 8	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	16 12	16 4
Bulandshahr . .	16 —	14 —	19 —	19 —	4 —	5 —	8 —	9 —	17 —	17 —	16 8	16 8
<i>Submontane, east—</i>												
Balla . . .	11 4	11 4	13 4	13 4	6 4	6 4	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 12	14 8	13 12
Asansgar . . .	11 7	11 7	13 14	13 12	6 12	6 12	8 12	8 —	15 12	15 —	14 —	14 —
Gonâkpur . . .	12 2	11 4	15 4	15 4	6 1	7 10	9 15	9 10	15 4	15 4	14 4	14 4
Basti . . .	11 10	11 10	14 —	14 —	6 6	6 6	9 4	9 6	18 4	14 4	15 —	15 —



state the number of sars (of 50 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MADRAS OR MADRAS (Eleusine corpuscula)		KARNATI OR KARNATI MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, OR GRAM, KADALAT, OR GRAM (Cicer arietinum)		MATEE (Zea Mays)		ARHAR OR TEUR, CADIAN PEA (Cajanus indicus)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	9 -	9 -	...	...	8 -	8 -	13 -	13 -	Bengal—
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 -	16 -	Dacca—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 -	...	...	...	...	18 12	18 12	Khulna
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 -	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 -	14 -	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	11 -	11 -	...	...	...	...	16 -	16 -	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	12 -	12 -	...	...	8 -	8 -	18 -	18 -	Howrah
...	...	9 -	9 6	10 10	10 10	14 8	14 14	6 14	6 14	16 -	16 -	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	17 -	17 -	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 5	...	...	6 12	5 14	16 -	16 -	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	10 -	10 -	...	...	10 -	12 12	16 -	16 -	Jessore
...	...	...	...	11 -	11 -	...	...	8 -	8 -	16 -	16 -	Central—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	6 12	7 -	16 -	16 -	Bankura
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	6 12	15 -	15 -	Bardwan
...	...	...	...	11 -	11 -	...	...	7 -	7 -	16 -	16 -	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	11 8	13 -	11 8	12 8	14 -	14 -	Murshidabad
11 -	11 -	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 -	11 -	5 -	5 -	11 -	11 -	Santal Parganas
...	...	...	...	11 16	11 2	...	...	6 9	6 14	18 -	18 12	Hills—
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	...	...	18 2	19 2	18 -	18 -	Darjeeling
...	...	...	...	10 -	10 -	...	...	...	...	16 -	16 -	Orissa—
...	...	...	...	11 -	11 -	...	...	0 8	7 -	16 -	16 -	Puri
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 9	...	...	7 -	7 -	13 -	13 -	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	11 8	10 -	...	...	8 8	8 -	13 8	14 -	Balassore
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	14 -	14 -	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Sambalpur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Ohoda Napper—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Mansbham
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Ranchi
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Palaman
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Hazaribagh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Munghyr
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Gaya
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Patna
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Shahabad
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Patna
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Bhagalpur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Saran
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Champaran
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	United Provinces—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	(a) AOM—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Mirzapur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Banaras
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Central—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Meerut
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Mathura
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Bulandshahr
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Bahia
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Asansol
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 -	...	...	8 -	9 -	13 -	14 -	Guwahati
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Districts	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE		JAWAR OR OHOLEUM ( <i>Andropogon sorghum</i> )		BAJRA OR OHOLEUM ( <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> )	
					Best sort		Common			
	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month
<b>United Provinces—</b>										
<i>continued</i>										
(a) <i>Agro-</i> — <i>continued</i>										
Budhmontana, west—										
Shahjahanpur	18 8	18 —	19 —	17 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	14 8
Budaun	11 14	11 4	14 4	14 4	5 —	5 —	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 —
Philbit	13 —	13 —	—	—	5 —	5 —	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 —
Barili	12 8	12 4	16 4	16 4	5 4	5 4	10 12	10 12	19 14	19 14
Moradabad	12 10	12 8	16 12	16 12	5 —	5 —	10 12	10 12	17 9	17 9
Bijnor	12 4	13 —	19 —	18 6	4 8	4 8	9 14	9 14	17 9	17 9
Muzaffarnagar	14 10	14 5	19 4	19 13	8 13	8 13	9 14	9 14	17 9	17 9
Saharanpur	14 —	14 —	19 5	19 5	3 8	3 8	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —
Dehra-Dun	12 5	13 —	16 8	16 8	3 8	3 8	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —
Hills—										
Naini Tal	9 —	9 —	13 —	12 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	—	—
Almora	10 8	11 —	12 8	12 8	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	—	—
Garhwal	14 —	14 —	18 —	18 —	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	—	—
(b) <i>Other—</i>										
Southern—										
Partabgarh	11 8	11 8	16 —	14 8	6 8	6 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	15 —
Bhatnagar	12 8	12 —	17 —	15 8	7 —	7 —	11 4	11 4	19 —	19 —
Rae-Bareilly	12 9	11 8	16 —	15 —	5 —	5 —	11 4	11 4	19 —	19 —
Unao	12 —	12 12	14 —	14 8	5 —	5 4	9 4	9 4	19 —	19 —
Lucknow	13 —	12 4	17 —	16 8	4 12	4 12	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —
Hardoi	13 —	13 —	15 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —
Northern—										
Fyzabad	13 —	13 —	16 8	14 8	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	15 8	15 8
Bahawal	12 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	7 —	7 —	8 4	8 4	16 4	16 4
Gonda	13 4	12 4	18 12	15 12	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 8	16 8	16 8
Bahraich	13 —	13 8	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	17 —	17 —
Shahpur	13 —	13 8	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —
Kheri	13 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —
Rajputana—										
<i>continued</i>										
Partabgarh	11 —	10 12	11 —	11 8	5 8	5 8	6 12	6 12	23 8	21 8
Banswara	10 8	10 8	12 8	12 —	4 —	4 —	7 12	7 12	18 11	17 15
Mewar (Udaipur)	10 15	10 15	14 10	14 10	7 —	7 —	7 12	7 12	18 11	17 15
Hilly Tracts of Mewar (Dungarpur)	11 4	11 12	20 4	19 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	19 11	19 11
Ajmer	12 —	12 —	17 11	16 11	6 8	6 8	8 3	8 3	21 —	21 —
Kishangarh	12 12	12 8	17 8	17 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	21 —	21 —
Bundi	14 7	14 7	23 2	23 7	7 —	7 —	10 6	10 —	22 4	22 4
Kotah	12 8	11 10	16 —	14 4	8 —	8 —	6 8	6 8	20 1	20 1
Jhalawar	11 6	11 4	15 —	15 —	8 10	8 10	9 8	9 8	20 1	20 1
Took	9 15	10 —	14 12	14 12	4 9	4 9	5 11	5 11	19 6	19 6
Jaipur	10 12	10 12	17 13	16 9	5 9	5 10	6 8	6 8	22 4	22 4
Karauli	10 —	9 11	22 8	23 8	8 12	8 12	10 —	10 —	23 12	23 12
Dholpur	11 9	11 8	17 8	17 —	5 8	5 8	8 8	8 8	22 0	22 0
Bharatpur	11 14	11 12	17 6	17 4	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	21 5	21 5
Alwar	12 7	12 4	20 8	20 —	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	22 7	22 7
Deoli	12 1	11 10	16 2	16 8	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	22 —	22 —
Nasirabad	12 8	12 8	14 8	15 —	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	20 —	20 —
Shahpura	9 12	9 12	14 8	15 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	20 —	20 —
Western—										
Hikar	11 8	11 —	19 —	16 —	3 4	3 4	6 4	6 4	15 2	14 6
Jaisalmer	10 7	9 12	—	—	5 4	5 6	7 12	7 11	15 2	14 6
Jodhpur	9 5	9 5	16 15	16 8	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	17 7	16 10
Balmer	11 13	11 9	—	—	6 —	6 —	7 2	7 2	—	—
Eringpur	10 13	10 13	16 8	15 5	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	14 13	14 12
Birohi	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —
Andhra	11 8	11 8	—	—	3 —	3 —	7 4	7 —	—	—
Ala	10 14	11 —	—	—	3 —	3 —	7 4	7 —	—	—
Central India—										
Indore	11 12	12 —	13 —	13 —	5 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	17 —	15 8
Nimach	12 8	12 2	—	—	8 —	8 —	8 4	8 4	22 —	20 —
Gwalior	11 8	11 8	14 12	13 12	5 12	5 14	6 8	6 8	22 —	22 —
Punjab—										
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Hissar	13 12	13 12	21 —	21 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	30 —	28 —
Ferozpur	13 —	13 —	23 —	22 —	—	—	8 —	8 —	30 —	28 —
Central—										
Lahore	17 —	16 4	27 —	25 12	—	—	8 0	8 0	30 —	28 —
Gujranwala	16 —	16 —	27 8	27 8	—	—	8 0	8 0	30 —	28 —
Gujrat	18 8	18 —	26 —	26 —	—	—	8 0	8 0	30 —	28 —
Sheikhan	20 —	19 —	26 —	26 —	—	—	8 0	8 0	30 —	28 —

state the number of sars (of 80 tolas) and shittacks sold for one rupee)

MAHUA OR BAHI (Eleusine coracana)		KARNALI OR KARNI, ITALIAN MILLET (Setaria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR KUNABA (Pisum aristatum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ARHAR OR PHEU, CADIAN PHE (Cajanus indiana)		SALT		Districts
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
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...	...	15 4	15 4	15 —	14 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	Budaun
...	...	12 4	13 12	14 8	15 4	...	...	9 —	9 2	16 6	16 —	Philibit
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	15 —	14 —	Barani
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31 8	27 8	31 8	27 8	18 5	16 5	...	...	5 6	5 6	16 3	16 3	Bijnor
16 —	16 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Masafarnagar
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 —	8 —	Saharanpur
14 8	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	11 —	11 —	Duhra-Dun
20 —	20 —	21 —	21 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Hills—
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16 —	16 —	18 —	18 —	13 4	13 12	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	(b) Oude—
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...	...	14 —	14 —	14 8	14 8	...	...	7 4	7 2	14 —	14 —	Sultanpur
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16 —	16 —	13 8	12 8	14 4	14 4	...	...	7 4	7 4	14 8	14 8	Unao
...	...	10 —	11 —	14 8	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	15 —	15 —	Lucknow
20 —	20 —	18 —	18 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	Hardoi
16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	Northern—
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 4	7 4	14 8	14 8	Fyzabad
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...	...	...	...	19 5	11 5	...	...	13 5	13 5	17 13	17 12	Sitapur
...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Kheri
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Rajputana—
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...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Hilly Tracts of
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Mewar (Dungarpur)
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...	...	...	...	18 8	18 8	...	...	...	...	18 5	18 5	Kishanganj
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...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	17 —	17 —	Deoli
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	18 5	18 5	Nasirabad
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...	...	...	...	15 13	16 3	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	19 5	11 5	...	...	...	...	17 13	17 12	Nimach
...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Gwalior
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Panjab—
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	18 5	18 5	
...	...	...	...	18 8	18 8	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Southern—
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...	...	...	...	15 13	16 3	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Ferozepur
...	...	...	...	19 5	11 5	...	...	...	...	17 13	17 12	Central—
...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	18 5	18 5	Guyarat
...	...	...	...	18 8	18 8	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Jhelam
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DISTRICTS	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLU (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoides)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
<b>Punjab—continued</b>												
South-eastern—												
Gurgaon	18 10	12 14	19 12	19 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	21 8	21 6	21 —	19 12
Delhi	13 —	12 —	20 —	18 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	19 —	17 —	16 8
Rohtak	14 —	14 —	19 —	19 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	28 —	28 —	21 —	21 —
Karnal	14 12	13 12	26 —	21 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	24 —	22 8	18 —	17 —
Submontane—												
Amritsar	15 2	15 2	19 8	19 8	...	...	9 8	9 8	19 8	19 8	17 8	17 8
Ludhiana	15 8	16 —	22 8	22 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	21 —	20 —	18 —	18 —
Jalandhar	15 6	15 4	21 6	21 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	15 —
Hoshiarpur	17 —	15 12	20 —	19 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	15 —	18 —
Gurkaspur	18 —	18 —	21 —	21 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	...
Amritsar	17 —	16 12	24 —	23 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	19 —	17 8	20 —	18 —
Shikoh	18 —	19 —	27 —	25 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	21 —	...	22 —	21 —
Hills—												
Simla	11 4	11 4	13 10	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	14 —	12 8
Kangra	17 —	17 —	24 —	24 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Kawalpladi	17 12	17 8	26 8	25 8	...	...	7 12	7 12	23 8	23 —	21 8	21 8
Attock	18 —	17 —	26 —	26 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	26 —	26 —	21 4	21 —
Western—												
Shahpur	18 8	18 8	26 —	26 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	20 —	20 —	21 —	21 —
Lyallpur	16 8	16 8	26 —	26 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	26 —	26 —	23 —	23 —
Multan	16 12	16 12	25 6	25 8	...	...	8 4	8 4	26 —	26 —	23 —	23 —
Montgomery	14 8	14 8	23 12	23 8	...	...	10 4	10 4	23 —	22 12	19 6	18 12
Muzaffargarh	16 10	16 8	26 —	26 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	23 —	23 —	20 —	20 —
Dera Ghazi Khan	14 11	14 9	22 8	20 10	...	...	8 4	8 4	19 —	19 —	18 —	18 8
							10 5	10 5	21 14	20 —	20 7	19 8
<b>N.W. Frontier Province—</b>												
Rawalpindi	15 —	14 —	22 12	23 8	4 4	4 4	6 8	6 8	21 6	24 —	24 —	24 —
Peshawar	16 —	16 —	26 —	26 —	5 12	5 12	8 7	8 10	22 —	23 —	18 —	18 —
Kohat	17 6	17 6	25 8	24 14	6 2	6 2	10 14	10 14	33 4	33 7	24 4	22 —
Bannu	20 13	19 6	32 8	31 11	11 14	11 4	12 2	12 8	25 10	23 3	23 2	23 8
Dera Ismail Khan	13 18	15 2	22 —	23 —	5 —	5 —	7 4	7 —	...	...	20 —	18 12
<b>Sind and Baluchistan—</b>												
Karachi	18 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	10 —	14 —
Hyderabad	11 —	12 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 6	20 —	18 —	18 —	18 —
Thar and Parkar (Unmarket)	15 8	15 8	...	...	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	22 —	21 —	18 6	18 8
Shikarpur	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	21 —	21 —
Upper Sind Frontier	12 6	12 8	...	...	6 —	6 8	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	21 —	21 —
Quetta	13 —	13 —	16 8	16 8	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	18 —	18 —	15 8	14 —
<b>Bombay—</b>												
Kankar	8 11	8 11	...	...	8 6	8 6	11 2	11 2	...	...	13 4	12 9
Karwar	9 7	7 7	...	...	8 11	8 6	10 —	10 —	18 —	...	14 13	14 13
Alibag	7 6	7 6	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 14	9 14	...	...	14 9	14 9
Bombay	16 4	10 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 7	8 7	13 8	13 8	13 10	12 10
Tanna	9 2	8 2	...	...	8 5	8 5	9 4	9 4	...	...	...	...
<b>Deccan and Konkan—</b>												
Dharwar	8 8	9 7	...	...	10 4	10 11	10 11	11 2	17 1	17 1	18 8	15 1
Belgaum	8 2	8 10	...	...	9 7	9 7	10 8	10 8	16 10	16 10	13 10	13 10
Satara	9 1	9 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 11	6 11	16 4	15 14	16 10	16 10
Sholapur	9 6	9 6	...	...	8 15	8 15	8 8	8 8	17 9	16 3	20 6	19 14
Bijapur	9 5	9 5	...	...	7 10	7 15	8 14	9 6	16 5	15 14	20 14	20 —
Poona	8 5	8 5	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 15	7 15	14 2	14 2	13 4	13 4
<b>Khandesh and N.E.</b>												
Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	10 2	10 2	...	...	8 2	8 2	9 1	9 1	17 14	16 6	17 9	17 9
Nasik	10 7	10 7	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 15	8 15	...	...	16 8	16 8
Dhule	9 10	10 1	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 8	7 8	15 8	15 8	14 6	14 6
<b>Gujarat—</b>												
Bharat	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 —	5 9	7 14	6 15	13 7	14 13	14 5	14 5
Broach	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 5	9 5	14 —	14 —	13 9	13 8
Kaira	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 8	9 8	20 —	20 —	17 —	17 —
Baroda	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Ahmedabad	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	14 —	14 —
Godhra	10 8	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	20 —	19 —	18 —	16 —
Dasa	11 12	11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	11 8	11 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 8	7 8	19 —	19 —	17 —	16 —
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
Western—												
Nimar	12 —	12 —	...	...	5 13	5 13	6 2	6 2	17 10	20 5	...	...
Hoshangabad	14 12	13 13	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 10	7 10	17 —	17 —	...	...
Betul	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	17 12	17 12	...	...
Chhindwara	13 13	13 10	...	...	7 4	7 4	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	...
Nagpur	13 12	13 12	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	...
Wardha	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	13 11	13 10	...	...

state the number of sets (of 80 tolas) and chittarks sold for one rupee]

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## RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF JANUARY 1907—concluded [The figures

DISTRICTS	WHEAT		BARLEY		RICE				JAWAR OR OHOLEM (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBO (Pennisetum typhoides)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
<b>Central Provinces—</b>												
<i>continued</i>												
<b>Central—</b>												
Narsinghpur	14 —	14 2	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 13	8 2	21 6	19 —	...	...
Bangor	13 12	13 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	21 6	21 6	...	...
Damoh	13 12	13 12	...	...	9 2	9 2	9 6	9 6	24 —	21 6	...	...
Jubbulpore	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	...
Bandia	13 12	14 13	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	13 —	18 —	19 6	...	...
Seoni	16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	...	...
Bilaspur	13 8	13 8	...	...	6 4	6 4	11 8	13 8	...	...	...	...
Bilaspur	13 8	13 8	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bhandara	11 4	11 4	...	...	8 15	8 15	10 —	10 —	16 —	15 —	...	...
Chanda	14 7	8 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Eastern—</b>												
Bilaspur	14 4	14 4	...	...	9 2	8 —	12 13	12 13	...	...	...	...
Bilaspur	13 4	15 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	16 3	16 9	...	...	12 13	12 7	13 15	13 15	...	...	...	...
<b>Bihar—</b>												
Buldhia	7 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	5 8	8 —	12 —	18 —	...	...
Akola	9 9	9 9	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 8	8 8	18 5	18 5	...	...
Amritoli	9 7	9 7	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	16 —	18 2	...	...
Yestmal	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8	16 —	18 —	...	...
<b>Nizam's Territories</b>												
Secunderabad	7 10	7 7	9 15	9 10	5 4	5 1	7 11	7 5	12 11	12 15	16 8	15 12
<b>Madras—</b>												
<i>continued</i>												
<b>Malabar Coast—</b>												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	...	...
<b>South, central—</b>												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	14 15	14 15	16 7	16 7
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	...	...
Salon	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 12	12 15	12 15	19 —	12 —
<b>Central—</b>												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	16 13	16 13	...	...
Amantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	16 10	16 10	...	...
Cuddalore	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	8 4	14 8	14 8	17 23	17 23
Raman	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 10	17 15	18 1	...	...
<b>East Coast, north—</b>												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	15 13	15 13
Vizagapatnam	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	7 7	...	...	...	...
Godavari	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	14 4	14 4	...	...
<b>East Coast, central—</b>												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	12 8	12 8	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	14 2	14 10	14 —	14 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	14 9	14 9	18 —	18 —
<b>East coast, south—</b>												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	11 2	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 4	...	...	11 10	11 10
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 8	...	...	13 —	13 8
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 13	12 9	12 9	14 6	14 6
<b>Southern—</b>												
Tinnevely	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	14 14	14 14	12 5	12 5
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	14 3	18 5	13 5	13 5
<b>Mysore—</b>												
Mysore	8 12	7 14	8 9	6 12	9 —	9 —	10 6	10 6	18 —	18 6	...	...
Bangalore	8 —	9 6	7 8	7 8	6 —	6 —	7 —	8 1	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —
Kolar	8 —	7 —	7 4	7 4	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	...	...
Tamkar	7 —	7 —	7 10	7 10	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Hassan	8 —	7 —	7 10	7 10	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	18 —	...	...
Wadur	8 —	7 —	7 10	7 10	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	18 —	...	...
Shimoga	8 —	7 8	8 6	7 6	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	18 —	...	...
Chitaldrug	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	17 —	18 —	...	...
<b>Goa—</b>												
Goa	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	9 8	11 8	11 8	...	...	...
<b>Aden</b>	8 10	8 10	...	...	8 10	8 10	8 4	8 4	12 7	12 7	13 7	13 7

state the number of sars (of 80 tolas) and chittas sold for one rupee)

MAHUA OR RAOI (Kousins sarcocolla)		KARONI OR KARUN, ITALIAN MILLET (Scleria italica)		GRAM, CHENNA, OROLA, KADALAY, OR BUNAGA (Ciss aristatum)		MAIZE (Zea Mays)		ANAR OR THUR, CADDAN PEA (Cajanus indicus)		SALT		Districts
Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	Half- month of report	Pre- vious half- month	
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 2	...	...	8 13	8 13	12 13	12 13	Central Provinces— continued
...	...	...	...	13 2	12 —	...	...	7 9	7 8	12 —	12 —	Central—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	7 3	7 3	12 13	12 13	Narsingapur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	12 6	12 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	14 7	14 7	...	...	6 4	7 13	11 8	12 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 11	10 11	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 —	6 8	12 —	12 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	8 12	8 12	12 —	12 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 4	8 15	12 5	12 5	Balaghat
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	9 2	8 —	10 11	10 11	Bhandara
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	...	...	8 8	8 —	12 —	12 —	Chanda
...	...	...	...	9 13	10 2	...	...	8 14	10 —	12 13	12 2	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	7 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	8 3	9 8	14 —	Bilaspur
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 10	...	...	8 3	8 9	15 —	15 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 7	8 7	14 —	14 —	Drug
...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	...	...	9 —	10 —	18 8	18 8	Berar—
17 9	10 14	...	...	9 4	9 6	...	...	14 8	13 11	11 9	11 5	Buldaa
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Amroli
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Yestmal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nizam's Territories— continued
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	S. Canara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	South, central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Assurapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ouddepah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnal
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ganjam
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Vizagapatam
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godavari
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kistna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Guntur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nellore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, south—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chingleput
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	N. Arcot
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	S. Arcot
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Southern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tinnevely
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysoor—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysoor
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kolar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tumkur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hassan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nadar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chitaldrug
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Coorg—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Coorg
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Aden

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The following statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 23rd February 1907, is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SINDH.	Northern.	Bombay City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. . . . .	296	190
		Dholera Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	—	—
		Ahmedabad City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	113	69
		Gogo Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	7	2
		Ahmedabad District . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	296	180
		Panch Mahals District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	56	21
		Kaira District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	1,443	771
		Broach Port . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	1(a)	—
		Broach District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	81	44
		Mahikantlia State . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	115	74
		Rewakantlia State . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	35	22
		Rerat Town and Port . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Bulmar Port . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Surat District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	137	103
		Palanpur State . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	125	88
		Jhars Port . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Utari . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	—	—
		Vemva . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Katra . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Trombay . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Tarapur . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Manori . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Mahim . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Dargawl . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Dhara . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Bhiwadi . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Aghushi . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	9	3
		Shirgaon . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Karla . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Bansole . . . . .	B., B. & C. . . . .	—	—
		Kalyan . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Thane . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	6	2
		Bardra . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	1	—
		Umbergaon Port . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Eon . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Thana District . . . . .	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
	Central.	Poona City . . . . .	B., M. & G. I. P. . . . .	1(a)	—
		Poona District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	26	23
		Salun . . . . .	B., M. . . . .	439	229
		Ahmednagar District . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—

(a) Imported.



Population of Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Central.	Khandesh District	G. I. P.	370(a)	280(a)
		Nasik	"	"	"
		Sholapur Town	"	"	"
		Sholapur District	G. I. P., S. M. & Barod	"	"
		Alibag Port	G. I. P.	7	5
		Mon	G. I. P. & B. R. & C. I.	"	"
		Panvel	G. I. P.	"	"
		Mahad	"	"	"
		Fahad	"	"	"
		Roha	G. I. P. & S. M.	"	"
		Amhiani	"	"	"
		Revdanda	B. R. & C. I.	"	"
		Kolaba District	G. I. P. & B. R. & C. I.	48	23
		Ratnagiri Port	S. M.	"	"
		Visedrag	"	"	"
	Southern.	Harnai	"	"	"
		Rajapur	"	4	3
		Vengurda	"	1	1
		Malwan	"	"	"
		Jaitapur	"	"	"
		Dabhal	"	"	"
		Jolga	"	"	"
		Dongad	"	6	4
		Ratnagiri District	"	175	140
		Belgaum	"	18	9
		Dharwar	"	"	"
		Karwar Port	"	"	"
		Kumta	"	"	"
		Kanara District	"	"	"
		Sevanti State	"	"	"
	Sind.	Karachi Town and Port	N. W.	53	22
		Karachi District	"	"	"
		Hydrabad Town	"	"	"
		Hydrabad District	" A. J. R.	"	"
		Larkhanna	"	"	"
		Thar and Parkar District	J. R.	"	"
		Sukkar District	N. W.	"	"
		Khairpur State	N. W. & J. R.	"	"
	Political Charges.	Akalkot State	G. I. P.	"	"
		Anandh	G. I. P. & S. M.	"	"
		Phaltan	"	"	"
		Tana Port	Tana-Arjar	"	"
		Mandla	"	"	"

(a) Of these 223 seizures and 221 deaths occurred in East Khandesh and the rest in West Khandesh.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIINDH.	Political Charge.	Jukun Port . . . . .	Tana-Anjar . . . . .	—	—
		Cambay Port . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	16	7
		Cambay State . . . . .	" . . . . .	29	27
		Mandvi Por . . . . .	Tana-Anjar . . . . .	—	—
		Cutch State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Savarni . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Bhor . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	2	2
		Mongrol Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	3	2
		Porbandar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Bhavnagar Town and Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	7	2
		Jamnagar . . . . .	" . . . . .	58	51
		Mahuva Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Jairabad . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Vavanis . . . . .	(Morvi Sec.) . . . . .	—	—
		Kathinwar Agency . . . . .	B., B. & C. I., Morvi & B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	235	141
		Kolhapur Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	30	24
		Kolhapur and Southern Maharashtra Country . . . . .	" . . . . .	276	220
		Seeha State . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	—	—
		Dhammapur State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Srivardhan Port . . . . .	G. I. P. & S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Marud . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Barimandla . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Nandgaon . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Majagaon . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Rajapuri . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Janjira Port . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	—	—
		Janjira State . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Velan Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Baroda City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	17	19
		Dwarka Port . . . . .	B.-G.-J.-P. . . . .	11	5
		Bat Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Kodinar Port . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Baroda State . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	400	204
		Satara . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	26	19
		Jath . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Batal . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	12	6
		Aden . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		TOTAL		5,025	2,306
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	—	Madras City . . . . .	Madras & S. I. . . . .	—	—
		Avantapur District . . . . .	" & S. M. . . . .	—	—
		Salem District . . . . .	" . . . . .	3(5)	4
		Bellary Town . . . . .	S. M. . . . .	31	17
		Bellary Cantonment . . . . .	" . . . . .	—	—
		Bellary District . . . . .	" & Madras . . . . .	7(a)	1(a)

(a) Imported.

(b) One imported.

(c) Two imported.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and Stations and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague poisoners.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	Madras	Karnool District	S. M. & Madras	...	...
		North Arcot District	S. L. & "	2(a)	1(a)
		Nilgiris	Madras	1	1
		Tallaherry Port	"	...	...
		Ondalere Port	"	...	...
		Mangalore "	"	2	3
		Tinnevely District	S. L.	...	...
		Malabar "	Madras	...	...
		Cuddapah "	" S. M. & S. L.	...	...
		Madura District	S. L.	...	...
		Vizagapatam Port	B. N. & Madras	...	...
		Vizagapatam District	"	...	...
		Ganjam District	B. N.	...	...
		Ernake Port	"	...	...
		South Canara District	S. L. & Madras	4	3
		Chingleput "	"	...	1(a)
		Godavari "	Madras	...	...
		Cannore Port	"	...	...
		Tanjore District	S. L.	...	...
		Trichinopoly "	"	...	...
		Cochin State	Madras	...	...
		Bimalpatam Port	"	...	...
		Calicutpatam "	"	...	...
		Cocanada "	"	...	...
		Gopalpore "	B. N.	...	...
		TOTAL		38	31
	Presidency.	Calcutta	E. I., E. B. & S. & B. N.	34(b)	37
		24-Parganas District	E. B. & S.	...	...
		Jessore District	B. O.	...	...
		Nadia "	E. B. & S.	...	...
		Murshidabad District	" & E. I.	...	...
		Khulna District	"	...	...
BENGAL.	Bardwan	Midnapore District	B. N.	...	...
		Bardwan "	E. I.	...	...
		Howrah Town	E. I. & B. N.	...	...
		Howrah District	E. I.	...	...
		Hooghly "	"	...	...
		Birbham "	"	...	...
		Bankura "	B. N.	2(a)	2(a)
	Patna	Champaran District	B. & N.-W.	7	4
		Chapra Town	"	637	344
		Saran District	"	74	74
		Gaya Town	"	324	294

(a) Imported.

(b) Four imported.

(c) Figures for two weeks ending 23rd February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
BENGALEE	Patna	Muzaffarpur District	B. & N.-W.	60	62
		Darbhanga Town	"	...	...
		Darbhanga District	"	101	78
		Shahabad "	E. I.	233	170
		Dinapore	"	...	...
		Patna City	"	13	18
		Patna District	"	702	522
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town	E. I.	...	...
		Monghyr District	"	109	75
		Darjeeling	D. H.	...	...
		Bhagalpur Town	E. I.	...	...
		Bhagalpur District	" & B. & N.-W.	3	3
	Chota Nagpur	Palamu District	E. I.	19	16
		Ganjam State	B. N.	...	...
		Paralia Town	"	...	...
		Manbhum District	E. I. & B. N.	...	1
		Singbham "	B. N.	...	...
		Rasaribagh "	E. I.	...	...
	Orissa	Outback District	B. N.	...	...
		Sambalpur	"	...	...
	Total			2,448	1,805
UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Meerut City	N. W.	5	3
		Meerut Cantonment.	"	...	...
		Meerut District	" O. & R. & E. I.	376	233
		Muzaffarnagar City	"	...	...
		Muzaffarnagar District	"	505	305
		Aligarh City	E. I. & O. & R.	...	...
		Aligarh District	"	39	24
		Sahasganj City	O. & R. & N. W.	...	...
		Hardwar Union	"	...	...
		Roorkee Town	"	...	...
		Sahasganj District	" & N. W.	133	53
		Salasabahr "	E. I.	66	38
		Dehra Dun	O. & R.	...	...
	Agra	Etawah City	E. I.	...	...
		Etawah District	"	3	3
		Fatehgarh	B., R. & C. I.	...	...
		Farrukhabad Town	" & E. I.	79	73
		Farrukhabad District	"	51	40

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague measures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Agra	Mainpuri District . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Agra City . . . . .	B., B. & C. L., G. I. P. & N. I. .	—	—
		Agra District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	97	09
		Ktah " . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	28	30
		Hathras City . . . . .	" & E. I. . . . .	5	5
		Muttra " . . . . .	" & G. I. P. . . . .	2	3
		Muttra District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
	Rohilkhand.	Bareilly City . . . . .	B. & K. & O. & R. . . . .	51	47
		Bareilly District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	26	26
		Shahjahanpur City . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	1
		Shahjahanpur District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	27	28
		Badaun District . . . . .	O. & R. & B., B. & C. I. . . . .	219	190
		Bijnor Town . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	—	—
		Bijnor District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	247	247
		Moradabad City . . . . .	" & E. I. . . . .	7	6
		Moradabad District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	232	216
		Pilibhit District . . . . .	R. K. . . . .	79	62
	Allahabad	Allahabad City . . . . .	E. I. & O. & R. . . . .	69	14
		Allahabad District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	26	22
		Cawnpur City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) . . . . .	64	63
		Cawnpur District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	30	26
		Fatehpur " . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	26	21
		Banda " . . . . .	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Jhansi City . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	—	—
		Jhansi District . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	—	—
		Hamirpur " . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	—	—
		Jalaun " . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	—	—
	Benares	Benares Cantonment . . . . .	B. & N. W. & O. & R. . . . .	—	—
		Benares City . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	5	3
		Benares District . . . . .	" " " " & E. I. . . . .	10	6
		Ballia " . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	1,205	1,205
		Jaunpur City . . . . .	O. & R. . . . .	—	—
		Jaunpur District . . . . .	" & B. & N. W. . . . .	129	38
		Ghazipur " . . . . .	E. I. & B. & N. W. . . . .	574	239
		Mirzapur City . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	21	6
		Mirzapur District . . . . .	" & O. & R. . . . .	37	54
	Gorakhpur.	Asamgarh City . . . . .	E. I. . . . .	—	—
		Asamgarh District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	472	441
		Gorakhpur City . . . . .	B. & N. W. . . . .	1	1
		Gorakhpur District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	200	223
		Basti District . . . . .	" " " " . . . . .	76	60

Presidency or Province.		Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.	
UNITED PROVINCES.	Kannau		Naini Tal	O. & R.	—	—	
			Garhwal District	"	—	—	
			Unao District	O. & R. & B. & N. W.	207	188	
	Lucknow		Lucknow City	" " & R. K.	260	262	
			Lucknow District	"	219	210	
			Hazrat	"	74	44	
			Rae Bareilly	"	112	77	
			Sitapur	R. K.	99	84	
			Kheri	"	48	48	
	Fyzabad		Bahraich District	B. & N. W.	11	11	
			Gonda	"	4	4	
			Partabgarh	O. & R.	98	88	
			Sultampur	"	63	29	
			Ajodhia	" & B. & N. W.	—	—	
			Fyzabad City	"	190	189	
			Fyzabad District	"	88	94	
			Bera Banki Town	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	—	—	
			Bera Banki District	"	—	—	
	TOTAL				5,098	5,127	
	Delhi		Hissar District	B., B. & C. I. & N. W.	9	5	
			Karnal	K. I.	48	48	
			Simla	K. R.	—	—	
			Delhi City	"	8	6	
			Delhi District	E. I., N. W., O. & R. & G. I. P. & B. & C. I.	175	264	
			Ambala	N. W. & R. I.	711	576	
			Ludhiana	"	1,551	1,128	
			Rohatki	"	261	311	
	PUNJAB	Jalandhar		Jalandhar City	N. W.	11	9
				Jalandhar District	"	765	687
				Roshanpur	"	450	480
				Ferozepur	"	326	289
				Kangra	"	—	—
Lahore		Amritsar City	N. W.	6	6		
		Amritsar District	"	330	330		
		Gurdaspur	"	1,369	1,309		
		Lahore City	"	28	45		
		Lahore District	"	797	590		
		Gujranwala District	"	1,008	1,007		
		Montgomery City	"	—	—		
		Montgomery District	"	168(a)	68(a)		
				1,008	1,006		

(a) Figures for two weeks ending 23rd February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District	N. W.	198	181
		Gujrat	"	321	314
		Ehahpur	"	118	37
		Jhelum	"	30	20
		Attock	"	37	22
	Multan	Mianwali District	N. W.	—	—
		Lyalpur	"	25	23
		Munafarpur	"	—	—
	Ferozepore.	Patiala City	Rajpura-Bhatinda (N. W. Ry.).	33	52
		Patiala State	N. W., E. I., R. B. & C. I. & J. B.	406	401
		Kapurthala State	N. W.	225	171
		Malwa Kotla	"	248	246
		Nahargarh	"	—	—
		Jind	"	67	48
		Kalsia State	"	36	12
		Zoridkot	"	70	24
		Nabha	"	542(a)	774(a)
		Total		11,816	10,229
BURMA.	Pegu	Bangoon Town	Burma	24	35
		Hanthawaddy District	"	4	4
		Pegu District	"	1	1
		Tharrawaddy District	"	24	21
		Pyaw	"	19	16
	Irrawaddy	Mawbun District	"	5	3
		Banash	"	20	22
		Hemada	"	30	25
		Pyawon	"	—	—
		Myaungmya	"	—	—
	Minn	Pakobun District	"	—	—
		Minn District	"	7	5
		Thayemyo District	"	2	3
	Tenasserim.	Toungon District	"	14	14
		Amherst (Moulmein) District	"	—	—
		Tavoy District	"	—	—
		Moulmein Town	"	11	11
		Thaon District	"	—	—

(a) Figures for 2 weeks ending 23rd February 1907.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA.	Mandalay	Myitkyina District . . . .	Burma . . . . .	...	...
		Bhamo District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Mandalay Town . . . .	" . . . . .	201	195
		Mandalay District . . . .	" . . . . .	4	4
	Sagay	Shwabo District . . . .	" . . . . .	2	2
		Lower Chindwin (Mongra) District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Sagay . . . . .	" . . . . .	1	1
	Mektila	Myingyan District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Yamethin . . . . .	" . . . . .	20	25
		Kyaukse . . . . .	" . . . . .	12	20
		Mektila . . . . .	" . . . . .	10	10
	Total . . . . .			455	400
HARIDWAR, BENGALEE AND ASSAM.	Rajshahi	Pabna District . . . .	R. B. S. . . . .	...	...
		Malda . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
	Dacca	Dacca Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Faridpur District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
	Total . . . . .			...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BENGALEE).	Nagpur	Nagpur City . . . . .	B. N. & G. I. P. . . . .	9	10
		Nagpur District . . . .	" . . . . .	122	26
		Wardha Town . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	1	1
		Wardha District . . . .	" . . . . .	22(a)	14(a)
		Kamptee Cantonment . . . .	B. N. . . . .	...	...
		Kamptee Town . . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Chanda Town . . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	...	...
		Chanda District . . . .	" . . . . .	22(b)	17(b)
		Bhandara Town . . . . .	B. N. . . . .	...	...
		Bhandara District . . . .	" . . . . .	43(a)	25
		Rajahmundry Town . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Rajahmundry District . . . .	" . . . . .	5(a)	3(a)
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town . . . .	B. I. & G. I. P. . . . .	223	226
		Jubbulpore Cantonment . . . .	" . . . . .	14	16
		Jubbulpore District . . . .	" . . . . .	128(a)	172(a)
		Damoh Town . . . . .	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) . . . .	...	...
		Damoh District . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Saugor Cantonment . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Saugor Town . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Saugor District . . . .	" . . . . .	1(a)	...
		Chappara Town . . . . .	" ( " ) . . . . .	...	...
		Secol Town . . . . .	B. N. . . . .	4(a)	4(a)
		Secol District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Wardha . . . . .	" . . . . .	17	15

(a) One imported. (b) Three imported. (c) Imported.



Province or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BOMBAY).	Nerbudda	Khandwa Town	B., D. & C. I. & G. I. P.	5	2
		Burhanpur Town	G. I. P.	...	...
		Nagar District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	134	84
		Pashmar	"	...	...
		Hoshangabad Town	"	9(a)	5(a)
		Hoshangabad District	"	40	36
		Narsingpur Town	"	53(c)	28
		Narsingpur District	"	...	...
		Betul District	"	...	...
		Chhindwara Town	"	...	...
		Chhindwara District	B. N.	31	31
	Chhattisgarh	Drug Town	B. N.	...	...
		Bilaspur Town	"	...	...
		Bilaspur District	"	...	...
		Raipur Town	"	6	2
		Raipur District	"	...	...
	Berar	Akola Town	G. I. P.	454(b)	301(b)
		Akola District	"	...	...
		Buldana Town	"	327	345
		Buldana District	"	39	25
		Yeshwantpur Town	"	...	...
		Yeshwantpur District	"	88	88
		Amravati Town	"	213	184
		Amravati District	"	...	...
		Total		2,143	1,688
	Mysore State.	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	S. M. & Madras	17	16
		Bangalore City	"	64	28
		Bangalore District	"	55	36
		Mysore City	"	64	50
		Mysore District	"	12	9
		Kolar	Madras	2	2
		Kolar Gold Fields	"	...	2
		Tankar District	B. N.	4	2
		Shimoga	"	...	...
		Chitaldrug	"	...	...
		Kadur	"	...	...
		Hassan	"	21	9
		Total		290	158
	HYDERABAD STATE.	Umamahad District	G. I. P. & Barak	...	...
		Farbhani District	N. G. S.	...	...
		Gulbarga	G. I. P. & N. G. S.	5(4)	4(4)
		Aurangabad District	N. G. S.	...	...
		Total		5(4)	4(4)

(a) One imported.

(b) Three imported.

(c) Two imported.

(d) Figures for the period from 13th to 18th February 1907.

Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Served by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA.		Indore City . . . . .	B., B. & C. I.	1	...
		Indore State . . . . .	" & B. I. P.	75 (a)	54 (a)
		Indore Residency . . . . .	"	1	...
		Ujjain City . . . . .	"	...	...
		Gwalior City . . . . .	G. I. P.	...	...
		Gwalior State (portion in Bhopal) . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	...	...
		Dhar State . . . . .	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & Gwalior	26	18
		Palhar .. . . .	" ( " )	...	...
		Malwa Agency	Rajputana-Malwa	...	...
		Standard Pergana in the Bhopal Agency . . . . .	"	15	9
		Bhopal City . . . . .	G. I. P.	87	24
		Bhopal Agency . . . . .	"	...	...
		Begun (Gwalior) . . . . .	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Bhopal Agency . . . . .	"	...	...
		Mekundgarh State . . . . .	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	...	...
		Mhow Cantonment . . . . .	B., B. & C. I. (Rajputana-Malwa)	...	...
		Nitnah .. . . .	"	...	...
		Ratlam City . . . . .	"	...	...
		Ratlam State . . . . .	"	61 (a)	61 (a)
		Dewas Town . . . . .	"	...	...
		Dewas State . . . . .	G. I. P.	...	...
		Narsingh State . . . . .	"	...	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Malwa Agency . . . . .	"	12 (a)	9 (a)
		Tonk State (portion in Central India) . . . . .	G. I. P.	...	...
		Bawa Town . . . . .	"	...	...
		Bawa State . . . . .	"	...	...
		Sehore State . . . . .	"	...	...
		Datis City . . . . .	"	...	...
		Datis State . . . . .	"	...	...
		Bailana Town . . . . .	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Bailana State . . . . .	"	4 (a)	4 (a)
		Piploda District . . . . .	"	...	...
		Bagli State . . . . .	"	...	...
		Jhabua .. . . .	"	...	...
		Jabra Town . . . . .	"	...	...
		Jabra State . . . . .	"	65 (a)	38 (a)
		Agar Military Station . . . . .	G. I. P.	...	...
		Maunpar . . . . .	B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Shimoga State . . . . .	"	...	...
		Kajgare .. . . .	G. I. P.	...	...
		Karwal .. . . .	"	...	...
		Harawal .. . . .	" & B., B. & C. I.	...	...
		Lashkar City . . . . .	"	...	...
		Total . . . . .		274 (b)	212 (a)

(a) Figures for the week ending 16th February 1907.  
(b) Figures for two weeks ending 23rd February 1907.

Province or Province.	Division.	Districts and States and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague points.	Plague deaths.
RAJ- PUTANA.		Rhamapur State . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Ajmer City . . . .	" . . . . .	1	2
		Ajmer District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Ajmer-Merwara District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Abu Road . . . .	" . . . . .	4	2
		Merwar State . . . .	" . . . . .	6	4
		Partabgarh State . . . .	" . . . . .	(a)	(a)
		Chitor (Udaipur) State . . . .	" . . . . .	24	15
		Tonk State . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Marwar State (Jodhpur) . . . .	J. B. . . . .	...	...
		Jaipur City . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	11	11
		Jaipur State . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Kumbhgarh Town . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Bikanir State . . . .	J. B. . . . .	...	...
		Jhalawar . . . .	G. I. P. & B. B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Kotah . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	...	...
		Birch . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Shahpura . . . .	G. I. P. . . . .	...	...
		Dholpur State . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Alwar City . . . .	B., B. & C. I. . . . .	4(a)	4(a)
		Alwar State . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Beawar . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Karauli State . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Banewara Town . . . .	" . . . . .	1(a)	...
		Banewara State . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Total			51(a)
CASHMIR.		Jammu Province . . . .	N. W. . . . .	74	44
		Kathua District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Total	74	44	
N.-W. F. PROVINCE.		Abbottabad Town . . . .	N. W. . . . .	...	...
		Rawala District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
		Bannu District . . . .	" . . . . .	...	...
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GRAND TOTAL.				20,253	24,242

1. (a) Figures for the week ending 15th February 1907.

H. H. RISLEY,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian  
Railways

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## RAILWAY BOARD.

## STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

IV. B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible;

RAILWAYS.		AVERAGE EARNINGS PER MILE PER WEEK.		RESULTS OF WORKING DURING 1ST HALF OF YEAR.				RESULTS OF WORKING FOR OFFICIAL YEAR.							
	During 1st half of 1906.	R	Miles.	Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending.		Earnings per mile open for week.		Total earnings from 1st January to.		Increase.		Decrease.	
				1906.	1907.	17th February 1906.	16th February 1907.	1906.	1907.	17th February 1906.	16th February 1907.	R	£	R	£
State and Guaranteed Railways.															
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	280	247	1,979	2,026	\$89,919	\$5,600.00	295	273	40,718.28	40,41,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	338	324	1,979	2,026	7,872	5,400	248	248	40,718.28	40,41,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	843	753	1,979	2,026	4,05,106	4,06,000	804	865	28,49,042	27,06,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	307	370	1,979	2,026	4,05,106	4,06,000	317	352	28,49,042	27,06,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	744	739	1,979	2,026	15,37,743	16,30,000	729	711	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	701	650	1,979	2,026	12,80,313	12,71,000	816	818	12,80,313	12,71,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	951	171	1,979	2,026	24,315	28,000	203	227	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	243	197	1,979	2,026	2,37,675	2,72,000	227	298	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	344	317	1,979	2,026	2,87,778	2,74,000	241	324	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	...	...	1,979	2,026	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	...	...	1,979	2,026	1,41,599	1,38,000	287	270	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	...	...	1,979	2,026	7,515	5,900	126	98	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	344	330	1,979	2,026	10,01,944	11,05,000	295	316	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	275	250	1,979	2,026	3,33,072	3,05,000	260	231	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	...	...	1,979	2,026	5,212	6,000	163	188	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	91	92	1,979	2,026	73,760	1,02,000	95	132	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	249	226	1,979	2,026	3,79,810	4,14,000	281	368	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	157	127	1,979	2,026	32,910	14,700	193	119	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	159	151	1,979	2,026	32,839	40,200	139	170	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	413	372	1,979	2,026	5,831	4,500	343	288	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	52	42	1,979	2,026	910	600	54	35	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	307	307	1,979	2,026	5,95,697	5,57,000	312	292	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	233	222	1,979	2,026	2,41,935	2,40,000	215	220	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	123	116	1,979	2,026	18,728	10,300	108	104	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	85	68	1,979	2,026	8,777	9,200	82	85	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	163	148	1,979	2,026	2,00,217	1,98,000	172	169	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	19	19	1,979	2,026	611	800	79	24	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	25	19	1,979	2,026	1,054	600	35	16	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	107	121	1,979	2,026	26,538	41,000	123	123	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	201	215	1,979	2,026	1,26,200	1,23,000	217	220	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
Bombay Nagpur (Inclg. J. G. & R. D. & G.)	...	...	1,979	2,026	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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Ashikah-Mangalore (a)	...	344	...	...	2,87,778	2,74,000	241	324	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
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North-Western (Inclg. K. R. Thal & N. D. & G.)	...	...	...	...	7,515	5,900	126	98	15,37,743	16,30,000	...	...	...	...	
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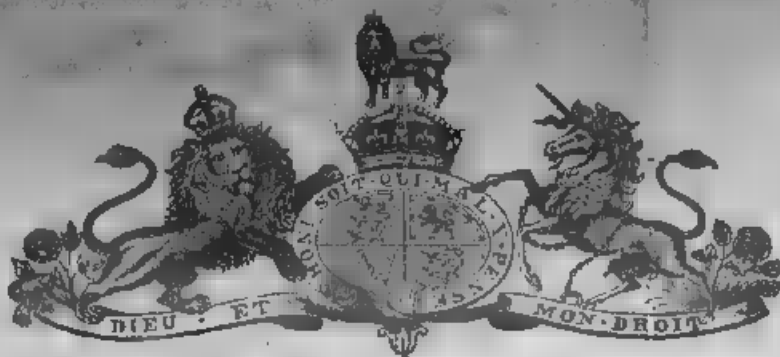
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# APPROPRIATION REPORT

ON

## THE ACCOUNTS

OF

## THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

FOR

### 1905-1906.

#### GENERAL REVIEW.

[Throughout the report the rupee figures are in thousands of rupees and the sterling figures in hundreds of £; thus 10,64 reads as ten lakhs and sixty-four thousands of rupees, and £91.2 reads as seventy-one thousand and two hundreds of pounds sterling. The rupee figures are converted into sterling amounts at Rs 15 = £1.]

In pursuance of the policy of providing annually for the improvement of the Army, the Budget made a provision of £2,439.9 for re-organization in 1905-06, including £961.3 for the re-armament of the artillery with quick-firing guns of the newest and most efficient pattern, and the re-grant of the unspent balance of £333.3 of the allotment of 1904-05. Provision for loss of revenue to the extent of £1,220.0, was made on account of the further reduction of the salt tax, and of £151.0 for the remission of the famine cess levied in certain provinces and of £47.0 for the improvement of postal facilities, and grants aggregating £1,077.0 were placed at the disposal of Local Governments for administrative improvements. Taking these special measures into account the Budget closed with an anticipated surplus of £903.8.

2. During the year under report there was a general development of revenue in all important branches except Land, Opium, Customs and Irrigation Revenues. By far the most important improvement occurred in Railway traffic receipts (£737.7), and was mainly contributed by the Rajputana-Malwa (£174.2), the Bengal Nagpur (£244.7), and the Great Indian Peninsula (£261.5) Railways, owing to heavy traffic in passengers, coal, wheat and cotton. The consumption of salt was stimulated by the further reduction of duty, and resulted in an improvement of £116.4 over the Budget. Stamp revenue was also better by £119.1 due to growth of litigation and trade. Favourable settlements and the introduction of reforms in some provinces augmented excise revenue by £244.7. Large extraction and sale of timber and a favourable floating season caused an improvement under Forest (£176.6) chiefly in Burma. In spite of the increase in letter weight carried for half an anna and the reduction in the rate of insurance, Post Office showed an improvement of £43.2 owing to increased business. Mint receipts were better by £215.7 owing to heavy coinage to meet trade demands; and Interest improved by £139.6 chiefly from the investment of the Secretary of State's cash balance in England. Receipts by the Military Department showed an improvement of £262.1.

3. The actual total expenditure was better by £1,017.7 chiefly on account of lapses under Army Services—Re-organisation, owing to the delay in the supply by the War Office of guns and other stores, and owing to the non-utilization of special grants for Civil Works, and Re-organization works. On the other hand considerable extra expenditure was incurred by the payment of the subsidy to the Amir of Afghanistan (£241.2) which was not provided for in the Budget, by outlay in connection with the visit of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, by the manoeuvres at Rawalpindi and by increase in working expenses of State Railways in consequence of improved earnings. The net result of these and other variations was a surplus of £2,091.9 showing an improvement of £1,188.1 over the Budget Estimate.

4. No important change in classification was made during the year in regard to revenue and expenditure.

5. Throughout the Appropriation Report the Budget grants for Assam, at present Eastern Bengal and Assam, and Bengal are shown as they were originally sanctioned; but the actuals in the case of Eastern Bengal and Assam comprise figures for Assam for the whole year, and for the transferred districts from 16th October 1905 to 31st March 1906, and those in the case of Bengal are the figures for Bengal proper, i.e., as it stands after partition, and for the transferred districts up to the 15th October 1905.

6. The following summary gives the Budget and Account figures of 1905-06 which are reviewed in this report. The details will be found in the statements on pages 181 to 196:—

RECEIPTS.		REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.		OUTGOINGS.	
Budget.	Accounts.		Budget.	Accounts.	
£	£		£	£	
49,445.9	49,528.0	A Principal Heads of Revenue .	8,756.8	8,779.5	
805.4	945.0	B Interest . . . . .	1,364.9	1,409.9	
1,608.3	1,651.5	Post Office . . . . .	1,543.5	1,575.9	
909.1	909.8	C { Telegraph . . . . .	1,034.4	1,076.5	
105.5	321.2	Mint . . . . .	123.3	120.1	
1,508.8	1,550.6	D Civil Departments . . . . .	13,380.3	13,258.5	
707.2	764.4	E Miscellaneous . . . . .	4,275.6	4,318.1	
...	...	F Famine . . . . .	1,000.0	1,000.0	
23,856.4	24,594.1	H Railways . . . . .	22,292.2	22,592.2	
3,055.3	3,006.7	J Irrigation . . . . .	2,893.4	2,880.4	
503.5	536.7	K Other Public Works . . . . .	6,699.6	6,457.3	
927.6	1,189.7	L Army Services . . . . .	20,282.3	19,267.1	
...	...	LL Special Defence Works . . . . .	253.2	146.3	
...	...	M Provincial Surplus + or			
...	...	Deficit— . . . . .	—1,370.3	+24.0	
...	...	Imperial Surplus + or Deficit—	+903.8	+2,091.9	
...	...				
83,433.0	84,997.7	TOTAL .	83,433.0	84,997.7	

RECEIPTS.		OTHER TRANSACTIONS.		OUTGOINGS.	
Budget.	Accounts.		Budget.	Accounts.	
£	£		£	£	
903.8	2,091.9	Imperial Surplus or Deficit as above . . . . .	...	...	
2,520.8	1,488.0	N Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue . . . . .	12,711.1	22,620.5	
7,200.8	16,752.5	O { Permanent Debt . . . . .	...	...	
...	...	Temporary Debt . . . . .	500.0	500.0	
846.5	572.3	P Unfunded Debt . . . . .	...	...	
...	742.8	Q Deposits and Advances . . . . .	1,009.9	...	
3.5	1,065.1	R Loans and Advances by Imperial Government . . . . .	...	...	
...	...	RR Loans and Advances by Provincial Governments . . . . .	217.2	292.4	
...	...	1.5 S Capital Account of Local Boards . . . . .	...	...	
328.3	623.5	T Remittances . . . . .	...	...	
16,500.0	26,290.7	U Secretary of State's Bills . . . . .	16,803.6	27,009.7	
20,671.6	21,012.3	V Cash Balance, April 1st . . . . .	...	...	
...	...	Ditto, March 31st . . . . .	17,733.5	20,218.0	
48,975.3	70,640.6	TOTAL .	48,975.3	70,640.6	

• **Comparison with the year 1904-05.**

7. The comparison in respect of revenues with the year 1904-5 is as follows :—

REVENUES.	1904-05.	1905-06.	Difference, 1905-06. Greater (+) or less (—).	
			£	R
Principal Heads of Revenue . . . . .	50,452.6	49,528.0	—924.6	—1,38.69
Interest . . . . .	849.6	945.0	+95.4	+14.31
Post Office . . . . .	1,576.0	1,651.5	+75.5	+11.32
Telegraph . . . . .	897.9	909.8	+11.9	+1.79
Mint . . . . .	206.4	321.2	+114.8	+17.22
Civil Departments . . . . .	1,547.3	1,550.6	+3.3	+50
Miscellaneous . . . . .	690.1	764.4	+74.3	+11.14
Railways . . . . .	24,022.5	24,594.1	+571.6	+85.74
Irrigation . . . . .	3,071.1	3,006.7	—64.4	—9.66
Other Public Works . . . . .	538.6	536.7	—1.9	—29
Receipts by Military Department . . . . .	960.9	1,189.7	+228.8	+34.32
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>84,813.0</b>	<b>84,997.7</b>	<b>+184.7</b>	<b>+27.70</b>

8. The important variations under *Principal Heads of Revenue* are the following :—

	£	R
Land Revenue . . . . .	—91.8	—13.77
Opium . . . . .	—552.7	—82.90
Salt . . . . .	—978.4	—146.76
Stamps . . . . .	+188.1	+28.20
Excise . . . . .	+334.4	+50.16
Customs . . . . .	—13.8	—2.07
Forest . . . . .	+177.6	+26.65
Other Heads . . . . .	+12.0	+1.80
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>—924.6</b>	<b>—1,38.69</b>

9. The decrease under *Land Revenue* occurred chiefly in the United Provinces and the Punjab, and was due in the former to remissions and suspensions necessitated by the frost of 1905, and the drought of the year under report, and in the latter to the failure of *Kharif* in the Delhi Division, and to remissions due to the earthquake in Kangra. The decline under *Opium* was mainly due to the price obtained for Bengal opium during the year, having fallen considerably below that obtained in 1904-5, and partly also to high prices of Malwa opium and a fall in the demand from China. That under *Salt* was the result of the further reduction of duty from Rs 2 to Rs  $1\frac{1}{2}$  per maund from the 22nd of March 1905. The improvement under *Stamps* arose mainly from the growth of litigation, and, in some provinces, from the execution of bonds and mortgages necessitated by the unfavourable season. Keen competition at the auction sales, increased consumption and the introduction of reforms in the Central Provinces, Berar and Bengal mainly explain the increase under *Excise*. The fall under *Customs* was mainly due to a decrease in the exports of rice from Burma and Madras, owing to high prices and a strong home demand, partly counterbalanced by improvements in Bengal and Bombay owing to increased imports of spirits, and liquors, sugar (ordinary duties) and cotton manufactures, and in the former also partly to increased exports of rice to Japan. The increase under *Forest* was chiefly contributed by Burma (13.70), Bombay (4.64), the Central Provinces (3.79) and Eastern Bengal and Assam, with Bengal (2.42), and was generally due to large extractions, good sales of timber, high prices, large supplies of sleepers to railways, and to large receipts on account of famine grass operations.

10. Under *Interest* the improvement was due partly to a change in the method of payment by the Madras Harbour Trust Board, whereby eighteen months' interest was paid during the year, and to payments in advance by certain Municipalities in the United Provinces, but mainly to large investments of cash balances in England. Under *Post Office* the increase was

mainly derived from the sale of Postage Stamps (9,21), and the growth of money order transactions (2,63). Under *Telegraphs* the increase occurred in the rent of wires and instruments leased to railways and canals, and in message revenue, owing to heavy speculation in the grain market, and to the visit to India of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales. The improvement under *Mint* was chiefly due to the large credit on account of the percentage on value of rupee coinage charged to the Gold Reserve Fund, owing to heavy coinage. Under *Civil Departments* there was an improvement of 3,52 under *Law and Justice—Courts of Law* due mainly to lapsed estates received from the Administrator General; of 1,18 under *Jails* from sales of jail manufactures; of 2,64 under *Education* mainly in fees from Schools and Colleges; and of 1,88 under *Medical* due to a contribution from the Calcutta Hospital Port Dues towards the Presidency General Hospital. These improvements were, however, nearly covered by a decrease of 8,50 under *Marine*, due to less work done for the Royal Navy and other Departments, to stores required for the Royal Navy Vessels, having been drawn from the Royal Navy Stock of stores transferred from Trincomalee, and to the limited employment of Royal Indian Marine Vessels on Imperial service, partly counterbalanced by an improvement in England owing to a special receipt from the Admiralty for Harbour Defence Vessels, and for the sale-proceeds of vessels, together with the value of ordnance stores received therefrom. The improvement under *Miscellaneous* was due to large adjustments of lapsed deposits, to large recoveries on account of expenditure on famine labour, and to the adjustment of the value of currency notes assumed to be no longer in circulation, partly counterbalanced by a falling-off under *Exchange*.

11. Under *Railways* the improvement was contributed by all the more important railway systems with the exception of the North-Western and the Bengal and North-Western and Tirhoot Railways. The principal increases were 56,35 on the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, due to the general development of all descriptions of traffic, particularly coal; 29,28 on the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, arising from a large passenger traffic in connection with marriages and fairs, and to improvement in cotton, coal and manganese traffic; 26,83 on the Rajputana-Malwa Railway, due to the celebration of a large number of Hindu marriages, the exodus from Rajputana owing to famine, and large exports of grain to Guzerat, Kathiawar and Central India; 22,34 on the Eastern Bengal Railway, to the additional mileage of the Bengal Central Railway, the opening of new lines and the development of passenger and jute traffic; 10,09 on the East Indian Railway, to a large increase in pilgrim traffic; 7,12 on the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway to the general expansion of coaching traffic, and to the Kumbh mela; 6,88 on the Burma Railways, to a large increase in paddy traffic, and 6,19 on the Southern Mahratta Railway, to the general development of coaching traffic, and to the movement of food grains to tracts visited by scarcity and drought. Against these improvements there was a decrease of 60,36 on the North-Western Railway, due mainly to short exports of wheat on account of the uncertainty as to the wheat crop of 1906, and of 66,87 on the Bengal and North-Western and Tirhoot Railways, due to the failure of the wheat and linseed export *via* Mokamah, and to the transactions of the Bengal and North-Western Railway being excluded from the Government accounts of the year.

12. The decrease under *Irrigation* was due to heavy remissions of revenue in the Punjab, owing to the failure of the cotton crop, to the small area in the United Provinces, irrigated for sugarcane, owing to frost and bad seed, and generally to the unfavourable character of the season. Under *Other Public Works* the decrease occurred in the receipts in England. The improvement under *Receipts by Military Department* was due to the change in the method of adjusting dairy farm receipts which are now treated as revenue, to the introduction of the new clothing scheme for Native Troops, to large sales of unserviceable ordnance stores, to a smaller credit to the Imperial Government than in the previous year, for the net value of peace equipment stores issued to and returned from China and Somaliland, and to the large recovery in England in respect of the capitation rate payable for Indian Native regiments lent for service in the Colonies.

13. A comparison of the expenditure side is given below :-

	1904-05. £	1905-06. £	Difference, 1905-06. Greater (+) or less (-). £      R	
			£	R
Direct Demands on the				
Revenues . . . . .	8,569,1	8,779,5	+210,4	+31,56
Interest . . . . .	1,646,9	1,409,9	-237,0	-38,55
Post Office . . . . .	1,519,8	1,575,9	+56,1	+8,41
Telegraph . . . . .	902,3	1,076,5	+174,2	+26,13
Mint . . . . .	117,9	120,1	+2,2	+33
Civil Departments . . . . .	12,399,8	13,258,5	+858,7	+1,28,81
Miscellaneous . . . . .	4,264,8	4,318,1	+53,3	+8,00
Famine . . . . .	1,000,0	1,000,0	...	...
Railways . . . . .	21,917,0	22,592,2	+675,2	+1,01,28
Irrigation . . . . .	2,786,4	2,880,4	+94,0	+14,10
Other Public Works . . . . .	5,766,1	6,457,3	+691,2	+1,03,68
Army Services . . . . .	20,175,7	19,267,1	-908,6	-1,36,29
Special Defence Works (1902) . . . . .	128,3	146,3	+18,0	+2,70
	81,194,1	82,881,8	+1,687,7	+2,53,16

14. Under *Direct Demands on the Revenues* the most important increase occurred under *Land Revenue* (19,83), chiefly in the charges for District Administration, Survey and Settlement and Land Records and Agriculture; under *Forest* (12,85), due to large extractions of timber, expansion of sleeper operations, and to payments to contractors for extraction in the previous year in Burma; to a large payment to the Chamba State, in the Punjab, as profits on working its forests in 1904-05, to famine grass operations in Bombay and in Madras to the extension of the departmental system of exploitation, and to large supplies of timber and firewood to railways, mills and the public; under *Excise* (2,37) owing to improvements in excise administration. There were small increases under all the other heads except *Opium*, under which there was a decrease of 11,19 due to the smaller outturn of the crop, which was 104,062 maunds against 111,539 maunds in the previous year.

15. Under *Interest* the decrease was chiefly the result of increased transfer of interest to the Railway Revenue and Irrigation Accounts. Under *Post Office* the increase was mainly due to the growth of the department, and occurred chiefly under establishment and conveyance of mails. The increase under *Telegraph* was due to large purchases of stores in England and locally, to the opening of, and additions to signal offices in connection with the Royal visit, and to increased signalling and clerical establishments owing to the expansion of the department. Of the increase under *Civil Department* 17,73 occurred under *General Administration*, due chiefly to charges in connection with the Royal visit, to Secretariat charges, outlay in Bengal connected with the revision of village panchayet additional expenditure in Eastern Bengal and Assam necessitated by the partition, and to expenditure in England, owing to the passage and outfit allowance of His Excellency Lord Minto; 10,72 under *Courts of Law* mainly in Burma, Bengal, and the Punjab chiefly in the charges of Civil and Sessions Courts and Criminal Courts; 13,04 under *Jails*, due to increase of manufactures, high prices of food grains, and increase in jail population; 30,72 under *Police*, due mainly to the introduction of reforms; 23,76 under *Education*, owing mainly to the additional appointments made towards the close of the previous year, and the extension of primary education; 8,96 under *Medical*, due to the revision of pay of the Indian Medical Service, increased expenditure on plague in Burma, and to expansion of District Boards' dispensaries in the United Provinces; 22,96 under *Political*, due to payment of arrears of subsidy to His Majesty the Amir of Afghanistan, and increased expenditure on the North-West and Tibet Frontiers; and 18,23 under *Scientific and Other Minor Departments*, due to special expenditure in India in the Archaeological Department, and the new Central Research Institute, in Bengal to the acquisition of land for the agricultural college and in Bombay to a special grant to the Prince of Wales Museum of Western India. On the

other hand there was a decrease of 17,36 under *Marine* due to small expenditure in England for stores, and to the high charges in the previous year on account of construction and repair, for the hire of a transport for the return of the Aden Boundary Commission, and for the cost of the steam cruiser *Fraser*. Under *Miscellaneous* the variations were increases of 2,39 under *Civil Furlough and Absentee Allowances* in England, of 4,83 under *Superannuation Allowance and Pensions* due to normal growth of pension charges, and of 3,65 under *Miscellaneous*, due to charges in connection with the Royal visit, to earthquake relief measures in Kangra, in the Punjab and to the charges of the special commission of enquiry on Excise Administrations. Under *Famine* there was an increase of 20,07 in direct Famine relief charges, and of 12,22 under construction of Protective Irrigation Works, while there was a decrease of 9,08 under construction of Protective Railways. Under *Railways* there was an increase of 56,14 in working expenses of State Railways due mainly to renewals of permanent way, girders, engines and coaching vehicles, opening of new lines, repairs to bridges and flood damages, outlay on flood protection, and increased train mileage run. The payment of interest, and annuities in India and England for State Railways, and that of interest on capital deposited by companies, also exceeded the charges of the previous year by 44,04 and 7,38 respectively. Under Irrigation the increase was due to heavy maintenance charges on canals in the Punjab and Bengal, to a large programme of works in the North-West Frontier Province, and to an increase in interest charges. Under *Other Public Works* there was an increase of 86,54 under *Civil Works*, chiefly in Burma (22,70), due to the new General Hospital at Rangoon, and the new public offices; in Eastern Bengal and Assam (28,21) to expenditure in the Eastern Bengal districts transferred from Bengal, in Madras (13,32) to the heavy outlay on miscellaneous public improvements, in Bombay (13,83) mainly to increased outlay on construction of buildings for Police, Educational and other Departments, and in the Punjab (9,76), to expenditure on account of the damage caused by the earthquake of 4th April 1905. Under *Military Works (Re-organization)* there was an increase of 24,43 due to the general development of re-organization works, while under *Military Works* there was a falling-off of 7,44 due to a modification in the programme of expenditure on large special works. Under *Army Services* there was an increase of 7,15 under Re-organization, due to cost of mobilization maps supplied to the Army Headquarters for the requirements of the field army, to construction of lines for native troops, to the maintenance of a larger number of horses and for a longer period than in 1904-05, to large purchases of stores for field hospitals, to increased expenditure on Re-organization measures, and to large outlay on the purchase of land; and of 83,82 under Other Charges chiefly under Regimental pay (38,83), due to the excess strength of British troops in India, to increased charges for service pay to British soldiers, to grant of bounty to soldiers for extension of service, to more officers being present on duty during the year, to the creation of 90 additional appointments, to charges on account of five native infantry regiments serving in the Colonies, to the return of troops from Somaliland, to increased rate of kit money and to the new clothing scheme for the Native Army; under Supply and Transport (26,08), due chiefly to the re-organization of the Supply and Transport Corps, to high rates for articles of food, to a change in the method of adjusting expenditure on dairy farms, and to high rates for food supplies for animals; under Ordnance (8,13) mainly due to expansion of Ordnance Factories, and to large purchases of arsenal stores and camp equipage; under Clothing (2,85), due chiefly to the grant of compensation to certain Native troops in lieu of special concessions, abolished under the new clothing scheme; under Army and Garrison (1,58) due chiefly to the re-organization and redistribution of commands and staff, and to charges for additional officers and establishments for Divisions and Brigades on the abolition of the musketry staff; and under Barrack establishment (1,13) due mainly to purchase of barrack bedding and expenditure on miscellaneous supplies. There was on the other hand a decrease of 91,83 under Special Charges due mainly to reduced charges on account of the Tibet Mission (80,91), Aden Delimitation Commission (8,39) and the Seistan Boundary Commission (1,73). The decrease in the expenditure in England (£902,8) occurred mainly in the charges for stores for India (£757,5), in the payments to

the War Office in respect of British forces serving in India (£78,8) and in the charges on account of the Indian Troop Service (£57,1). Under *Special Defence Works* there was an excess of 2,70 due mainly to the construction of the breakwater pier at Bombay, reduced by short charges for stores in England, due to the postponement of payments to the War Office.

### Comparison of Accounts with Budget Estimates of 1905-6.

16. The following figures exhibit the differences in the net accounts between the Budget and the Actuals, those in India and England being shown in separate columns. A comparison of the gross figures has been given before in para. 6 :—

	INDIA.		England.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Equivalent in Sterling.	£	£
Principal Heads of Revenue	+9,56	+64,4	—5,0	+59,4
Interest	+3	+2	+94,4	+94,6
Post Office	+1,78	+11,9	—1,1	+10,8
Telegraph	—5,89	—39,3	—2,1	—41,4
Mint	+29,00	+193,3	+25,6	+218,9
Civil Departments	+21,48	+143,2	+20,4	+163,6
Miscellaneous	+87	+5,8	+8,9	+147
Famine	+1,78	+11,9	—11,9	...
Railways	+60,86	+405,7	+34,0	+437,7
Irrigation	—5,56	—37,7	+2,1	—35,6
Other Public Works	+43,09	+287,3	—11,8	+275,5
Army Services	—9,57	—63,8	+1,341,1	+1,277,3
Special Defence Works	+44	+2,9	+104,0	+106,9
COMBINED SURPLUS, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	+1,47,87	+985,8	+1,596,6	+2,582,4

17. Under *Principal Heads of Revenue*, the improvement occurred under several heads: Salt (18,97), Stamps (17,33), Excise (38,28), and Forest (22,24); while there was a considerable falling-off under Land Revenue (84,67). The improvement under Salt was due to increased consumption stimulated by the further reduction of duty from Rs to Rs  $\frac{1}{2}$  per maupd from the 22nd March 1905. The growth of litigation and trade, and the increased execution of bonds and mortgages, necessitated by an unfavourable agricultural season, account for the betterment in the revenue from Stamps. Under Excise, the high receipts were brought about by the causes mentioned in para. 9 above. The improvement under Forest was contributed by Burma and Bombay, due in the former to large extraction and sale of timber and a favourable floating season, and in the latter, to famine grass operations, the supply of sleepers to Railways and high prices of timber. The decline on Land Revenue was caused by the unfavourable season in Madras and Bombay, floods on the Irrawaddy, irregular rainfall in Burma, failure of the *Kharif* in the Delhi Division, and remissions necessitated by the earthquake in the Kangra Valley.

18. Under *Interest* the variation occurred almost entirely in England, excess receipts to the extent of £149,9, due to the investment of larger sums and at a higher rate of interest than anticipated, having been partly counterbalanced by the absence of provision in the Budget for discount on the issue of £2,000,0 India stock (£47,5). Under *Post Office*, the improvement was mainly due to an unexpected increase in the sale of postage stamps and to the growth in the operations of the Money Order Department, partly diminished by increased expenditure



consequent on the expansion of the Department. Under *Telegraph*, the total receipts closely approximated to the Budget, but there was an excess in the expenditure, chiefly in India, due to the large purchase of stores, smaller issues of stores to works, extra charges in connection with the Royal visit and increased charges for signalling, stationery, printing and repairs to lines. The improvement under *Mint* was due to the large credit on account of the percentage on value of rupee coinage charged to the Gold Reserve Fund, owing to the heavy coinage in the year, and to the circulation of a greater number of copper coins than estimated. There was also an excess in the expenditure caused by the large receipts of withdrawn and uncurrent coins at the Bombay Mint, but it was nearly counterbalanced by a saving in England due to the provision for electric installation at the Calcutta Mint not having been utilised.

19. Under *Civil Departments*, the principal items of the improvement were 2,26 under Law and Justice,—Courts of Law, 28,74 under Police, 4,30 under Marine, 31,05 under Education, 3,84 under Medical and 12,97 under Scientific and Other Minor Departments. Under Law and Justice—Courts of Law, there was an increase in the receipts in Bengal due to lapsed Estates received from the Administrator-General and to fees and commissions collected by him. The saving in Police was due to the partial introduction of reforms in Burma, Bengal and Bombay, the lapse of the provision for five companies of Military Police in Burma, and the almost entire lapse of the provision of 10,00 for re-organization in Madras. The saving under Education was similarly due to the entire or partial lapse of provisions for special expenditure in India, Central Provinces, Bengal and Bombay, and to the transfer of the lump provision in Madras and a portion of that in the United Provinces to 45.—Civil Works; and that under Scientific and Other Minor Departments to the partial utilisation of the provision for agricultural improvements. The betterness under Marine was made up of increased receipts in England due to the adjustment of the subsidy received from the Admiralty for Harbour Defence Vessels, and to the sale-proceeds of vessels, and savings in expenditure on stores in England counterbalanced partly by increased expenditure in India on stores, repairs and pilotage. The saving under Medical was due to low expenditure on plague measures. Against these improvements, there were large excesses under General Administration (13,93), and Political (41,00), due in the former case to the visit of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, deputation of officers and absences on short leave in Secretariats, additional staff in Eastern Bengal and Assam necessitated by the partition, passage and outfit allowance of Lord Minto and the shipment of gold from this country for the Paper Currency Department; and in the latter to the payment of arrears of subsidy to His Majesty the Amir of Afghanistan, coupled with increased expenditure on the North-West and Tibet Frontiers. There was also an excess under Jails, due mainly to increase in jail population, high prices of food grains and increase in manufacture and in the purchase of raw material.

20. Under *Miscellaneous*, the credit under Exchange exceeded the Budget by 4,22 and there was an increase of 3,17 in the receipts under Miscellaneous, chiefly from Premium on Bills, Unclaimed Deposits and Rents, and in fines and penalties incurred by contractors providing stores in England. There were also decreases in expenditure of 2,25 under Territorial and Political Pensions, due to lapses by death, 2,37 in the Absentee Allowances of civil officers in England, and 1,40 under Stationery and Printing due to large recoveries for work done for the Postal and Telegraph Departments, to decrease in establishment and contingent charges and in payments for piece work, partly counterbalanced by an excess in England owing to a large demand for stores from India. Against these improvements, Miscellaneous expenditure showed an excess of 12,25, due to charges in connection with the Royal visit, to expenditure on earthquake relief measures in Kangra, and to charges of the special commission of enquiry on Excise Administration.

21. The total loss due to *Famine* has been brought together in the following table, based on estimates framed by the most competent local authorities, which may be accepted as giving approximately the loss of revenue assignable to Famine. Suspensions of Land Revenue and Provincial Rates, which are not final losses, have been distinguished from remissions under



those heads. The total loss of revenue in 1905-6 assigned to Famine was 1,10,53 as shown below:—

	India.	Central Provinces and Berar.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
<i>Loss of Revenue.</i>	R	R	R	R	R	R
Land Revenue—						
Remissions . . . . .	...	98	6,83	8,96	13,24	30,01
Suspensions . . . . .	2,02	2,79	1,88	32	69,03	76,04
Excise . . . . .	...	...	8,50	3,70	...	12,20
Provincial Rates—						
Remissions . . . . .	...	5	...	...	36	61
Suspensions . . . . .	20	18	...	29	3,13	3,80
Customs . . . . .	...	...	...	3,00	...	3,00
Forest . . . . .	...	5	—11	...	—2,24	—2,30
<b>TOTAL LOSS</b>	<b>2,22</b>	<b>4,03</b>	<b>17,10</b>	<b>16,27</b>	<b>83,72</b>	<b>1,23,36</b>
<i>Increase of Revenue.</i>						
Irrigation . . . . .	—44	...	5	...	—14	—63
Railways . . . . .	13,46	...	...	...	...	13,46
<b>TOTAL INCREASE</b>	<b>13,02</b>	...	—5	...	—14	<b>12,83</b>
<b>NET {</b>						
DECREASE —	...	—4,03	—17,15	—16,27	—83,86	}
INCREASE +	+10,80	...	...	...	...	
						<b>—1,10,53</b>

22. When the Budget Estimate was framed, Madras and Bombay were the only provinces where it was considered necessary to make provision for direct Famine Relief. Distress in these provinces, however, proved less severe than apprehended; and though later conditions rendered expenditure necessary in the United Provinces, Ajmer and Baluchistan, there was, in the aggregate, a saving of 11,38 in the expenditure on direct relief. There was also a saving of 12,52 in the expenditure on the construction of Protective Irrigation Works due to the slow progress of works in Bengal, and the unavoidable postponement of works in the United Provinces, while there was a small excess (3,03) in the expenditure on Protective Railways owing to the purchase and construction of rolling stock, and in the purchase of plant for the Tirupattur-Krishnagiri and Morappur-Dharmapuri Railways not originally provided for. The net result of these variations increased the amount available for the Reduction or Avoidance of Debt. Besides the charges on actual relief, expenditure was incurred under other heads either in the actual purchases of food supplies for men and animals or in the grant of compensation for dearness of provisions. These charges have been estimated by the local

authorities, and are brought together in the following table, and the total charges direct and indirect may be set down at about 45,82:—

	India.	Central Provinces and Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	Madras.	Bombay.	Total.
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Famine Relief, including Public Works charges	6,78	...	2	...	...	8,94	5	97	3,63	20,39
Indirect charges due to Famine, including grain compensation allowance—	16,62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,62
Army	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
Public Works Department, Other Public Works	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Post Office	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Telegraph	2	...	...	...	4	6	...	...	1,13	1,27
Land Revenue	1	3	...	...	1	9	...	1	25	48
Police	5	...	...	7	4	1,71	...	...	2,75	6,84
Other heads	1,73	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18,63	64	...	7	9	1,86	...	1	4,13	25,43
TOTAL	25,41	64	2	7	9	10,80	5	98	7,76	45,82

23. The total loss of revenue and increase of expenditure due to famine may therefore be put down at about 1,56,35.

24. The improvement under *Railways* was the result of an increase in the receipts partly counterbalanced by an increase of expenditure. The increase in the receipts was mainly due to additional mileage opened, to general development of traffic on the larger railway systems and particularly to heavy pilgrim traffic on the East Indian Railway, and heavy traffic on the Rajputana-Malwa Railway due to the celebration of a large number of Hindu marriages, the exodus from Rajputana owing to famine and large exports of grain, on the Bengal Nagpur Railway, due to general development of all descriptions of traffic, particularly coal, on the Southern Mahratta Railway, due to the movement of food grains to the tracts affected by scarcity, and on the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, in connection with marriages and fairs and on account of improvement in coal, cotton and manganese traffic. The increase of expenditure was owing chiefly to heavy repairs and renewals of stock and permanent way and to extensive traffic. The lines that principally contributed to the net result are:—

	Better.	Worse.
Eastern Bengal State Railway	...	1,05
East Indian Railway	...	17,63
North-Western Railway	...	21,24
Rajputana-Malwa Railway	19,82	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway	...	8,32
Bengal and North-Western Railway	...	1,79
Indian Midland Railway	1,05	...
Southern Mahratta Railway	5,02	...
South Indian Railway	1,87	...
Bengal-Nagpur Railway	25,53	...
Great Indian Peninsula Railway	33,64	...
Burma Railway	...	2,32
Lucknow-Bareilly Railway	1,48	...
North-East Line, Madras Railway	6,98	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway	8,07	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad Railway (British Section)	1,30	...
Mysore Railway	1,95	...

25. Under *Irrigation*, there was a decrease in the receipts due to heavy remissions of revenue on account of the failure of the cotton crop in the Punjab, and to the small area irrigated for sugarcane in the United Provinces, owing to frost and bad seed. The improvement under *Other Public Works* was the result of savings in expenditure, to the extent of 35,38, owing chiefly to the non-utilisation of special grants for Civil Works given to Local Governments, and of the grants for certain Re-organization works, and of an increase in the receipts from Civil Works in Bombay and Eastern Bengal and Assam.

26. Under *Army Services* there was an improvement of 39,32 in the receipts and a saving of 1,52,28 in the expenditure. The increase in the receipts occurred mostly in England (£198,8 or R29,82), but partly also in India (£63,4 or R9,51). In England, the increase was due to the recovery from the Imperial Government in respect of the capitation rate payable for Indian Native Regiments lent for service in the Colonies, not provided for in the Budget, to increase in the value of clothing, etc., in the possession of regiments on their transfer from the Indian to the British Establishment, to the sale of unserviceable stores, to receipts on account of the Indian Troop Service, to the increased realisation of subscriptions towards Indian Military Service Family Pensions and to contributions towards pensions of Indian Native soldiers lent for Imperial Service. The improvement in India was due to more receipts from grass and dairy farms, large sales of clothing and materials to Native Troops under the new clothing scheme introduced in 1905, extensive sales of unserviceable ordnance stores from arsenals and factories, and large issues of ordnance stores to Native States on payment, partly counterbalanced by small sales of malt liquor and the adjustment, by credit to the Imperial Government, of the net value of peace equipment Europe stores issued to and returned from China, Somaliland and the Colonies. The saving in the expenditure occurred almost entirely under Re-organization, 16,54 in India and 1,38,00 in England. The decrease in the Indian expenditure was due to savings in the provision for mobilisation equipment, to reduced charges in consequence of the change of administration of the Supply and Transport Corps, to smaller expenditure on inland transport, to less maintenance charges of the additional mule corps and cadres and of the reserve horses at remount depôts, and to large lapses in the provision for re-armament of Horse and Field Artillery, for reserve of Army transport carts, for manufacture of rifles, etc., and for purchase of land; partly counterbalanced by the cost of maps supplied to the field army, charges for construction of lines for Native troops, purchase of additional horses for quick-firing batteries, and local stores for additional field hospitals and ordnance field parks, and expenditure for completing certain measures sanctioned in 1904-5, on small arms ammunition, and on mountings for maxim guns, etc. The large saving in the Re-organization expenditure in England was due to the postponement of payments to the War Office on account of stores for India. There was also a saving in the English expenditure under *Other Charges*, due chiefly to decreased charges for stores, and to the refund of certain payments to the War Office in respect of British Forces serving in British India; but it was nearly counterbalanced by an excess in the Indian expenditure under the same head, due to a variety of causes chief among which were (1) the non-realisation of the large deduction made in the Budget from probable savings from pay and allowances of Regimental Officers and British Troops, (2) the inclusion of charges on account of the five Native Infantry Regiments on garrison duty in the colonies and (3) rise in the rates for food supplies for men and animals. Under *Special Defence Works*, the short expenditure in England was due to the postponement of payments to the War Office.

27. The Budget provided for a deficit of £466,5 or R69,98 in the revenue on the whole account, but as a sum of £1,370,3 or R2,05,55 out of the Provincial and Local Expenditure was payable from past accumulations of balances, a net surplus of £903,8 or R1,35,57 was provided for in the Estimates on the Imperial account. The accounts closed with a surplus on Imperial account of £2,091,9 or R3,13,78, and a surplus on Provincial and Local account of £24,0 or R3,60. The net Imperial revenue was therefore better by £2,091,9 — £903,8 = £1,188,1 or R1,78,21, and the net Provincial and Local receipts by £1,370,3 + £24,0 = £1,394,3 or R2,09,15. The improvement in the Provincial and Local accounts was caused

mainly by the allotments amounting to Rs. 60,00 by the Imperial Government, to the Governments of Central Provinces and Berar (30,00), and Eastern Bengal and Assam (30,00), to enable them to start under favourable conditions the new Provincial Settlements which came into operation from 1906-7. Decrease of expenditure in Bengal, Madras and Bombay and increased receipts in the last two also contributed to the improvement.

28. The details of these fluctuations are given below, the sign + meaning better, and - worse, than the estimate:—

	REVENUE SIDE.			EXPENDITURE SIDE.		
	Imperial.	Provincial.	TOTAL.	Imperial.	Provincial.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Principal Heads of Revenue	-615.4	+697.5	+82.1	-137.9	+115.2	-22.7
Interest	+151.4	-11.8	+139.6	-45.5	+4	-45.1
Post Office	+43.5	-3	+43.2	-36.7	+4.3	-32.4
Telegraph	+8	...	+8	-42.1	...	-42.1
Mint	+215.6	...	+215.6	+3.3	...	+3.3
Civil Departments	+2.9	+38.9	+41.8	-116.1	+237.9	+121.8
Miscellaneous	+34.9	+2.3	+57.2	-34.4	-8.1	-42.5
Famine	...	...	...	-127.4	+127.4	...
Railways	+737.1	+7	+737.8	-305.0	+5.0	-300.0
Irrigation	+8.8	-57.4	-48.6	+57.4	-44.4	+13.0
Other Public Works	+13.2	+20.0	+33.2	+24.4	+266.7	+242.3
Army	+262.0	...	+262.0	+1,015.2	...	+1,015.2
Special Defence Works	...	...	...	-106.9	...	+106.9
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>+874.8</b>	<b>+689.9</b>	<b>+1,564.7</b>	<b>+313.3</b>	<b>+704.4</b>	<b>+1,017.7</b>
<b>TOTAL NET</b>	<b>+1,188.1</b>	<b>+1,394.3</b>	<b>+2,582.4</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>

29. The improvement in the Provincial and Local Sections occurred chiefly in Land Revenue, Stamp, Excise and Forest receipts, and in the charges under Land Revenue, and Assignments and Compensations and Civil Departments, principally Police and Education, Famine Relief and Other Public Works.

30. The principal items making up the difference in the Imperial Section are indicated in the following table:—

	IMPERIAL.	Better.	Worse.
		£	£
Land Revenue, net	...	...	-1,040.8
Opium	...	+123.9	-64.0
Salt	...	+48.9	...
Stamps	...	+165.0	...
Excise	...	...	-10.2
Customs	...	+81.6	...
Forest	...	+92.3	...
Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	+6.8	...
Post Office, net	...	...	-41.3
Telegraph	...	+218.9	...
Mint	...	...	-113.2
Civil Departments, net	...	+20.5	...
Miscellaneous, net	...	...	-127.4
Famine Insurance, net	...	+432.1	...
Railways, net	...	+66.2	...
Irrigation, net	...	...	-11.2
Other Public Works net	...	+1,277.2	...
Army, net	...	+106.9	...
Special Defence Works, net	...	...	-44.1
Minor Variations under other heads, net	...	...	...
		<b>+2,640.3</b>	<b>-1,452.2</b>
		<b>NET BETTER</b>	<b>+1,188.1</b>

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31. The Budget grants have been exceeded under several heads. The excesses, distinguishing those requiring sanction from those for which extra grants have already been made, have been noticed under each head of expenditure, and the detailed reasons for the excess have been also there stated. The following table brings together the excesses under each head still requiring sanction :—

Excess expenditure over Budget Estimate awaiting sanction of the Imperial Government.

	INDIA.			CENTRAL PROV.			BENGA.		E. B. & ASIAN		BENGAL.		UNITED PROVINCES OF AGRA & OUDH.		PUNJAB.		N.-W. PROVINCES		MADRAS.		BOMBAY.		TOTAL	
	Impl.	Local.	Prov.	Impl.	Local.	Prov.	Impl.	Local.	Impl.	Prov.	Impl.	Local.	Impl.	Local.	Impl.	Prov.	Impl.	Local.	Impl.	Prov.	Impl.	Prov.	Impl.	Prov.
1. Refunds and Drawbacks	4																						23	
2. Assignments and Compensations	37																						2,39	
3. Land Revenue	23																						2,38	
4. Salt																							9	
5. Stamps	1,21																						1,63	
6. Excise	13																						21	
7. Provincial Rates																								3
8. Assessed Taxes																								3
9. Forest																								13
10. Registration	1																							3
11. Interest on Ordinary Debt	66																							6
12. Interest on other Obligations	1,63																							1,67
13. Post Office	2,90																							2,34
14. Mint																								1,43
15. General Administration	1,96																							2,39
16A. Law and Justice—Courts of Law	1																							1
16B. Law and Justice—Jails	47																							47
17. Police																								41
18. Marine	41																							11
19. Education																								60
20. Ecclesiastical																								35
21. Medical																								1
22. Political	1,40																							1,84
23. See-the etc. Departments	7																							7
24. Territorial and Political Pensions																								58
25. Superannuation allowances, and Pensions	54																							6,05
26. Stationery and Printing																								2,30
27. Miscellaneous	3,41																							1,47
28. State Railways—Working Expenses	3,30																							26
29. State Railways—Interest on Debt	1,47																							10,44
30. Army—																								2,43
31. Army and Garrison Staff	26																							84
32. Regimental Pay, etc.	10,44																							10
33. Supply and Transport	2,43																							10
34. Barrack Establishment, etc.	84																							14
35. Military Pensions to Europeans	10																							3,51,67
36. Family Pensions and Compensation Allowances, etc.	10																							3,97,39
37. Departmental Pensions and Gratuities	14																							4,13
38. State Railways—Construction	3,51,67																							
Total	3,87,82	15		1	66	5			41	2,72	3,15	3	2,52	23	29		58	33	79	2	1,76		3,97,39	4,13

## Section A—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE.

1904-5. Accounts. R	REVENUE—	Budget. R	1905-6. Revised. R	Accounts. R
75,67,89	India (Rupee figures) .	74,16,88	74,28,48	74,29,00
£		£	£	£
50,452,6	Equivalent in Sterling	49,445,9	49,523,2	49,526,7
...	England . . . . .	...	1,3	1,3
50,452,6	TOTAL	49,445,9	49,524,5	49,528,0

32. The receipts in this section exceeded the Budget Estimate by £82,1 or R12,32, but fell short of the actuals of the previous year by £924,6 or R1,38,69. As compared with the Budget the largest improvements occurred under Excise (£244,7 or R36,70) and Forest (£176,6 or R26,49). The former was contributed to by all the provinces except India, Burma and the United Provinces, and was due generally to keen competition at auction sales, and to increased consumption, and in the Central Provinces, Berar and Bengal also partly to the introduction of reforms; the decrease in India and the United Provinces, was due mainly to reduced consumption owing to a bad season and high prices of food grain, and in Burma to the restriction of the retail sale of opium to the actual needs of consumers. The improvement under Forest was chiefly derived from Burma, and was due to large extractions and sale of timber, and to a favourable floating season; and from Bombay, due to famine grass operations, the supply of sleepers to railways, and high prices of timber. There was an improvement of £116,4 or R17,46 under Salt, due to increased consumption, stimulated by the further reduction of duty from R2 to R1½ per maund from the 22nd March 1905, and was mainly contributed by India, Madras and Bombay; of £119,1 or R17,86 under Stamps, due to the growth of litigation and trade, and, in some provinces, to the unfavourable season which necessitated the execution of bonds and mortgages; of £19,9 or R3,00 under Provincial Rates, mainly in the Punjab, due to the abolition of the famine cess from 1st April 1906 instead of from 1st April 1905. There were also improvements under Assessed Taxes (£40,5 or R6,08) and Registration (£19,3 or R2,88). These improvements were partly counterbalanced by a decline under the other heads, the most important of which occurred under Land Revenue (£606,5 or R90,98), due to unfavourable conditions in Madras and Bombay, to heavy floods on the Irrawaddy, and to untimely and unequally distributed rain-fall in Burma, to failure of *kharij* in the Delhi Division, and to remissions necessitated by the earthquake in Kangra in the Punjab; under Customs (£16,0 or R2,40), due to a decrease in the exports of rice from Burma and Madras, owing to high prices and strong home demand, partly counterbalanced by an improvement in Bengal, due to increased imports of spirits and liquors, sugar (ordinary duties) and cotton manufactures, and of increased exports of rice to Japan; under Tributes (£23,0 or R3,45), chiefly in India and the Punjab, and under Opium (£8,9 or R1,33) due to high prices of Malwa opium and a fall in the demand from China, reduced by an improvement due to high prices obtained for Bengal opium.

33. The decrease, as compared with the previous year, occurred chiefly under Salt (£978,4 or R1,46,76), Opium (£552,7 or R82,90) and Land Revenue (£91,8 or R13,77). The decrease under Salt was due to the reduction of duty referred to above; that under Opium partly to the cause stated above, but mainly to the price for Bengal opium having fallen below that obtained in 1904-5; that under Land Revenue occurred chiefly in the United Provinces and the Punjab, due in the former to remissions and suspensions necessitated by the frost of 1905, and the drought of the year under report, and to the abolition of the famine cess, and in the latter to the causes stated above. There were smaller decreases under Provincial Rates (£26,5 or R3,96), due mainly to the abolition of the famine cess; under Customs (£13,8 or

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Rs. 2,07), due to the causes stated above, and under Tributes (£36.4 or Rs. 47), chiefly in India, due to the postponements of recoveries owing to famine, and in Bombay, due to large recoveries in the previous year of fees on succession to Native States. Against these decreases there were improvements under Stamps (£188.1 or Rs. 28.20), Excise (£334.4 or Rs. 50.16), Assessed Taxes (£51.6 or Rs. 7.74), Forest (£177.6 or Rs. 26.65) and under Registration (£23.3 or Rs. 3.49) due mainly to the causes stated above.

## I.—Land Revenue.

			India.	Central Prov. Indo.	Riaz.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N. W. Frontier Prov. Indo.	Madras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
Ordinary Land Revenue.	Accounts.	1904-5	13.85	86.72	82.33	2,18.64	58.72	3.06.21	6.39.42	2.48.53	18.56	5.55.74	3.37.50	26.56.31
	Budget		13.13	87.37	82.77	2.44.00	61.64	3.99.95	5.99.21	2.37.15	18.37	6.04.70	3.83.45	27.31.24
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	11.16	87.99	84.84	2.39.00	42.05	3.18.23	5.92.36	2.24.57	18.36	5.84.25	3.60.00	26.62.81
			11.54	85.11	83.32	2.31.15	42.70	3.19.67	5.97.61	2.23.41	17.78	5.84.09	3.51.04	26.47.42
Assessment of Alienated Lands less Quit Rents.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	88	...	2.13	3	...	10.82	93.86
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	88	...	2.12	8	...	92.50	95.58
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	2.03	5	...	91.65	94.53
			...	...	...	...	...	82	...	2.04	3	...	90.62	93.57
Sale of Proprietary Right, Sale of Waste Lands, etc., and Receipts for the Improvement of Government Estates.	Accounts.	1904-5	1	...	23	8	2	7.62	1	6.22	1	31	...	14.51
	Budget		1	...	...	10	4	7.13	16	8.17	1	5	...	15.67
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	1	1	55	...	2.40	5.44	1	8.65	...	95	...	17.32
			1	1	45	1.88	2.29	5.80	1	8.78	9	19	...	19.51
Capitation Tax or House Tax levied in lieu thereof, including Thathameda Tax.	Accounts.	1904-5	7	...	...	99.38	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	99.54
	Budget		7	...	...	94.03	1.98	8	...	...	...	...	...	96.16
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	7	...	...	96.34	2.00	8	...	...	...	...	...	98.49
			6	...	...	96.92	2.22	1	...	...	...	...	...	99.21
Fisheries and other Receipts classed as Miscellaneous Land Revenue.	Accounts.	1904-5	1.38	58	50	52.85	4.63	6.66	6.75	7.04	1.20	26.43	4.85	1.12.87
	Budget		1.30	63	51	55.02	2.61	10.09	7.01	7.56	86	28.97	2.98	1.19.04
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	1.81	80	61	54.66	3.88	7.99	6.56	7.25	1.09	29.14	4.17	1.17.96
			1.79	75	60	53.07	3.64	5.43	6.66	7.30	1.44	28.65	5.61	1.14.94
TOTAL	Accounts.	1904-5	15.31	87.30	83.06	3.70.95	63.37	4.11.46	6.46.18	3.63.92	19.80	5.82.48	4.33.26	29.77.09
	Budget		14.51	88.00	83.28	3.93.75	66.27	4.19.03	6.40.38	3.55.00	19.32	6.33.22	4.78.03	31.57.69
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	13.05	88.80	86.00	3.90.00	1.50.33	3.32.54	5.98.01	3.42.50	19.50	6.13.64	4.55.82	29.91.11
			13.40	85.87	84.37	3.83.02	1.50.91	3.31.73	6.04.28	3.41.53	19.34	6.12.93	4.47.37	29.74.65
Deduct—Land Revenue due to Irrigation.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	19	...	...	14.64	22.10	51	79.07	17.48	1.33.89
	Budget		...	...	...	20	...	...	14.14	21.50	50	78.26	17.48	1.37.38
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	21	...	...	14.64	18.00	51	81.91	21.53	1.36.80
			...	...	...	17	...	...	15.38	19.69	49	84.26	24.83	1.45.32
TOTAL RURNS.	Accounts.	1904-5	15.31	87.30	83.06	3.70.76	63.37	4.11.46	6.31.54	3.41.82	19.29	5.03.41	4.15.78	28.43.10
	Budget		14.51	88.00	83.28	3.93.55	66.27	4.19.03	5.92.24	3.33.20	18.82	5.54.90	4.50.45	29.20.31
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	13.05	88.80	86.00	3.80.79	1.50.33	3.32.54	5.84.19	3.41.50	18.99	5.31.73	4.34.19	28.54.31
			13.40	85.87	84.37	3.82.85	1.50.91	3.31.73	5.88.00	3.21.84	18.85	5.28.17	4.22.44	28.39.33
TOTAL SPENDING.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,954.0
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,468.7
	Revised Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,862.3

Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—*continued*.I.—Land Revenue—*continued*.

34. The receipts under this head show a falling-off of 90,98 and 13,77 as compared with the Budget Estimate and the actuals of the previous year, respectively. As compared with the Budget the fall was mainly due to unfavourable conditions in Madras and Bombay, to heavy floods on the Irrawaddy, and to untimely and unequally distributed rain in Burma, to failure of the *kharif* in the Delhi Division and to remissions necessitated by the earthquake in Kangra in the Punjab. As compared with the actuals of the previous year, the decrease occurred mainly in the United Provinces, and the Punjab, due in the former to remissions and suspensions, owing to the frost of 1905, and the drought of the year under report, and to the abolition of the famine cess, and in the latter to the causes stated above, partly counterbalanced by improvements in Madras and Bombay, due in the former to the realisation of the large suspensions of the previous year, and to the comparatively small remissions of the year under report, and in Bombay, mainly to a favourable season in Gujarat, where arrears of revenue were recovered.

35. The decrease under *Ordinary Land Revenue* (83,82), occurred chiefly in Madras (20,11), Bombay (32,41), Burma (12,85), and the Punjab (13,74), due to the causes explained above. The decrease in India (1,59), was chiefly due to famine in Ajmer, partly counterbalanced by an increase due to a rise in prices in Baluchistan, where the revenue is collected in kind, and an under-estimate in Coorg; in the Central Provinces (2,26), to the transfer of the Sambalpur District to Bengal (96), to the failure of the rice crop in the Bilaspur District (1,15), and to suspensions owing to damage to crops by frost in Saugor, and in the United Provinces (1,60), to the failure of the *kharif*, and the almost total failure of the winter rains, which necessitated large remissions and suspensions and greatly retarded the collections. The excess in Berar (55), was due chiefly to waste lands being brought under cultivation, and to advance payments of kists. In Eastern Bengal and Assam, considered with Bengal proper, there was an excess of 78, due to an increase in Bengal (1,43), owing mainly to the transfer of the Sambalpur District from the Central Provinces, but partly also to better collections, and of 27 in Assam, due to an under-estimate, while there was a decrease of 75 in Eastern Bengal due to over-estimate. Under *Assessment of Alienated Lands less Quit Rents* the decrease in Bombay (1,88), is attributed to revision surveys, relinquishment of land by holders, and acquisition of land by Government. Under *Fisheries and other Receipts classed as Miscellaneous Land Revenue* the decrease in Burma (2,55), was due to the low prices fetched by fisheries at auctions in consequence of a bad year, partly counterbalanced by an improvement in the revenue from petroleum, owing to an increased output of oil. In Eastern Bengal and Assam with Bengal proper there was a decrease of 4,53 made up of a fall of 2,30 in Eastern Bengal and of 2,23 in Bengal proper, due to small recoveries on account of survey and settlement charges, reduced in the latter by an increase of 30 in miscellaneous receipts, and an increase of 13 in Assam due to an under-estimate. The decrease in the United Provinces (35) was due mainly to low receipts from quarries (16), consequent on difficulties of export, and from partition fees (17); in the Punjab (26) to a decrease in the recoveries on account of Canal and Survey Demarcation (67), partly counterbalanced by an increase in Mutation Fees (30), due to the heavy plague mortality of the year; while that in Madras (32), occurred mainly in the receipts of the Village Service Fund. Against these decreases there were improvements in the other provinces, the most important of which occurred in Bombay (2,63), mainly in Miscellaneous Receipts. The increase in India (49), was chiefly due to the receipt of a Nazarana in Ajmer; in the Central Provinces (12), to revenue from quarries and minor mineral products in forests and lands not under the management of forests; and in the North-West Frontier Province (58), to increase under Mutation fees (13), to the introduction of a new grazing tax in the Hazara District and to better collection of the dues in other districts (40), and to an improvement under Miscellaneous (4). Under *Sale of Proprietary Rights, Sale of Waste Lands, etc.*, the actuals in Burma represent the capitalized value of the abatement of land revenue, on land made over to the Burma Railway Company, the adjustment of which at the close of the year was not foreseen in the Budget and Revised. The increase in Eastern Bengal and Assam, and Bengal taken together (92), occurred chiefly in Bengal proper (76), due to unexpected sales of Government Estates in Patna, Puri and Hooghly, and to large receipts on account of redemption on land tax; the balance occurred in the Eastern Bengal Districts, and is attributed to the fluctuating nature of the receipts; and in the Punjab the improvement (61), was mainly due to the high prices realized for lands at the Churian Colony auction. The variations in the other provinces are mainly attributed to the fluctuating nature of the receipts. Under *Capitation Tax or House Tax levied in lieu thereof, etc.*, the excess in Burma (2,89), occurred entirely in the receipts from Thathameda tax, and was foreseen in the Revised.

36. The explanation for the variations in the *Portion of Land Revenue due to Irrigation* is given in the Public Works portion of this report under the head Irrigation *vide* paragraph 252.



## Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—continued.

## 1.—Land Revenue—concluded.

37. The following tables A and B give the usual particulars regarding the distribution of the Land Revenue between Imperial and Provincial:—

## A.—Transactions affecting the Distribution of Land Revenue in 1905-6.

PROVINCES.	CREDITS+DEBITS—TO PROVINCIAL.				
	Transfers under contract.	Subsequent Recurring Transfers.	Special Transfers.	Miscellaneous Adjustments.	Total Adjustments.
Central Provinces . . . . .	+ 4,66	+ 14,81	+ 54,54	+ 23	+ 74,24
Burma . . . . .	+ 53,01	+ 18,45	...	...	+ 71,47
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . . . .	+ 12,00	+ 3,97	+ 29,66	...	+ 45,63
Bengal . . . . .	+ 47,56	+ 37,09	+ 10,98	...	+ 95,63
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	+ 2,32	+ 37,09	+ 3,27	...	+ 42,68
Punjab . . . . .	+ 3,46	+ 17,78	+ 6,90	...	+ 28,14
Madras . . . . .	+ 61,31	+ 36,50	+ 8,05	—24	+ 1,05,62
Bombay . . . . .	+ 35,36	+ 20,98	+ 13,29	...	+ 69,63

## B.—Distribution of Land Revenue in 1905-6.

PROVINCES.	Total Revenue to be divided proportionally.	Proportion as- signed to Pro- vincial Govern- ments.	Provincial share.	Special Ad- just- ments added above.	Revised share.	LAND REVENUE NOT INCLUDED IN THE DIVISION.			FINAL DISTRIBUTION OF LAND REVENUE.			
						Impi.	Prov.	Local.	Impi.	Prov.	Local.	TOTAL.
Central Provinces . . . . .	85,87	One-half	42,93	+ 74,24	1,17,17	...	...	...	—31,30	1,17,17	...	85,87
Burma . . . . .	3,82,92	One-half	1,91,46	+ 71,47	2,62,93	...	...	10	1,19,09	2,62,93	10	3,83,02
Eastern Bengal and Assam . . . . .	1,47,98	One-fourth for E. B. and one-half for Assam.	53,70	+ 45,63	99,33	68	2,25	...	40,33	1,01,58	...	1,50,91
Bengal . . . . .	3,83,98	One-fourth	81,00	+ 95,63	1,76,63	2,95	4,80	...	1,50,30	1,81,43	...	3,31,73
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	5,94,90	One-fourth	1,48,73	+ 42,68	1,91,41	...	8,68	40	4,03,49	2,00,39	40	6,04,28
Punjab . . . . .	2,41,53	Three-eighths	90,57	+ 28,14	1,18,71	...	...	...	1,22,82	1,18,71	...	2,41,53
Madras . . . . .	5,85,67	One-fourth	1,46,42	+ 1,05,62	2,52,04	...	...	27,26	3,33,63	2,52,04	27,26	6,12,93
Bombay . . . . .	3,54,26	One-half	1,77,13	+ 69,63	2,46,76	...	90,62	2,39	1,07,50	3,37,38	2,39	4,47,27

## II.—Opium.

1904-5. Account. R		Budget. R	1905-6. Revised. R	Account. R
7,61,93	Sale of Bengal Opium . . . . .	6,72,00	7,05,54	7,05,54
1,12,37	Bombay Opium Pass Fees . . . . .	1,20,00	88,60	85,41
	Excise Opium—			
2,88	Central Provinces . . . . .	2,90	3,05	3,05
...	Berar . . . . .	...	...	3
6,50	Burma . . . . .	6,80	6,10	6,08
4,05	E. B. & Assam . . . . .	4,85	5,31	5,37
7,60	Bengal . . . . .	7,90	7,38	7,48
5,64	United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	5,60	5,75	5,74
63	Punjab . . . . .	60	75	73
7	North-West Frontier Province . . . . .	8	7	9
27,95	Miscellaneous . . . . .	28,73	28,41	28,57
97		93	1,02	80
9,03,29	TOTAL IN RUPEES . . . . .	8,21,65	8,23,57	8,20,32
6,021,5	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING . . . . .	£ 5,477.7	£ 5,490.5	£ 5,468.8

## Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—continued.

## II.—Opium—concluded.

38. The receipts under this head fell short of the Budget and the actuals of the previous year by 1,33 and 82,90, respectively. Under *Sale of Bengal Opium*, the increase, as compared with the Budget, was due to the sale of a larger number of chests at a higher price, viz., 49,200 chests sold at an average of ₹1,434 against 48,000 chests at ₹1,400, adopted in the Budget. But the average price per chest fell far below that obtained in the previous year (1,587), which accounts for the decrease as compared with that year. Under *Bombay Opium Pass Fees*, the decrease, both as compared with the Budget and the actuals of the previous year, was due to a rise in the price of Malwa opium and a falling-off in the demand in China. Under *Excise Opium*, the decrease in Burma, due to the issue of orders in January 1905, restricting the retail sales of opium to the actual needs of consumers and to their means of purchase, was partly counterbalanced by increases chiefly in the Central Provinces (15), Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal (10), the United Provinces (14), and the Punjab (13), due generally to increased consumption. The decreases in Assam and Eastern Bengal Districts, due to over-estimates, were more than counterbalanced by increased receipts in Bengal proper.

39. The following table gives the usual statistics for the last ten years of the produce and sales in Bengal, and the exports from Bombay:—

	BENGAL.						BOMBAY.		
	Produce of season.			Chests sold.	Average price per chest.	Total price.	Chests.	Rate.	Amount.
	For Export.	For Excise.	Total.						
	Chests.	Chests.	Chests.		₹	₹		₹	₹
1896-97	45,041	4,911	49,952	39,000	1,243	4,85,04	21,751½	600 & 650	1,33,48
1897-98	45,500	3,279	48,779	39,000	1,023	3,99,10	17,432½	500 & 600	96,70
1898-99	44,075	4,024	48,099	39,450	1,055	4,16,38	26,579	500	1,32,89
1899-1900	51,719	3,479	55,198	41,700	1,221	5,09,15	25,492½	500	1,27,46
1900-1901	52,443	4,780	57,223	45,300	1,361	6,16,39	25,053½	500	1,25,27
1901-1902	44,457	4,818	49,275	48,000	1,297	6,22,53	16,280½	500	81,40
1902-1903	44,724	5,897	50,621	48,000	1,144	5,49,39	19,831	500	99,16
1903-1904	64,738	5,268	70,006	48,000	1,462	7,01,76	26,141½	500	1,30,71
1904-1905, Actuals	50,000	4,741	54,741	48,000	1,587	7,61,93	18,821½	500, 600 & 625	1,12,37
1905-1906, Budget	...	...	...	48,000	1,400	6,72,00	20,000	600	1,20,00
1905-1906, Revised	...	...	...	49,200	1,434	7,05,54	14,750	600	88,60
1905-1906 Actuals	55,501	5,863	61,364	49,200	1,434	7,05,54	14,235	600	85,41

## III.—Salt.

		India.	Burma.	Eastern Bengal and Assam.	Bengal.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
Sale of Government Salt.	Accounts . 1904-5	12,70	...	...	...	8,30	6,41	27,41
	Budget .	12,21	...	...	...	8,39	6,20	26,80
	Revised . 1905-6	14,01	...	...	...	6,60	6,20	26,81
	Accounts .	14,37	...	...	...	7,33	6,73	28,43
Excise on Local Manufacture.	Accounts . 1904-5	1,55,12	2,40	...	3	1,85,92	1,84,57	5,28,04
	Budget .	1,22,50	3,25	...	9	1,45,46	1,43,38	4,14,68
	Revised . 1905-6	1,26,03	3,25	5	...	1,51,20	1,49,76	4,30,29
	Accounts .	1,32,86	3,31	...	...	1,49,44	1,47,81	4,33,42
Duty on Imported Salt.	Accounts . 1904-5	...	13,98	...	2,21,91	18	36	2,36,43
	Budget .	...	13,50	...	1,72,33	17	34	1,86,34
	Revised . 1905-6	...	14,15	8,77	1,60,13	15	38	1,83,58
	Accounts .	...	14,17	8,88	1,61,53	12	35	1,85,05
Miscellaneous	Accounts . 1904-5	1,53	...	...	1,58	98	7,15	11,34
	Budget .	1,54	...	...	1,58	98	7,08	11,18
	Revised . 1905-6	1,16	...	12	1,33	1,05	6,16	9,82
	Accounts .	1,29	...	13	1,31	1,01	5,82	9,56
TOTAL IN RUPEES	Accounts . 1904-5	1,69,35	16,38	...	4,23,62	1,95,38	1,98,49	8,03,22
	Budget .	1,30,25	16,75	...	1,74,00	1,55,00	1,87,00	6,39,00
	Revised . 1905-6	1,41,20	17,40	8,94	1,61,46	1,59,00	1,62,50	6,50,50
	Accounts .	1,46,52	17,48	9,01	1,62,84	1,57,90	1,60,71	6,56,46
TOTAL IN STERLING	Accounts . 1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,354.8
	Budget .	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,200.0
	Revised . 1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,336.7
	Accounts .	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,376.4

Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—continued.

III.—Salt—concluded.

40. The actuals for the past 10 years have been as follows :—

	India.	Burma.	Eastern Bengal and Assam.	Bengal.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
1896-97 . . . .	1,84,87	14,09	...	2,50,01	1,69,42	2,23,78	8,42,17
1897-98 . . . .	1,94,78	15,67	...	2,46,33	1,72,70	2,29,94	8,59,42
1898-99 . . . .	2,04,07	15,82	...	2,51,24	1,99,84	2,39,02	9,09,99
1899-1900 . . . .	1,94,66	15,27	...	2,57,94	1,85,50	2,24,10	8,77,57
1900-1901 . . . .	2,07,14	13,41	...	2,54,35	1,86,26	2,33,90	8,91,06
1901-1902 . . . .	1,90,48	15,29	...	2,60,38	1,91,54	2,33,21	8,90,90
1902-1903* . . . .	1,97,32	18,30	...	2,67,94	2,03,16	2,40,94	9,27,66
1903-1904* . . . .	1,72,13	15,48	...	2,18,01	1,95,36	1,86,59	7,87,57
1904-1905 . . . .	1,69,35	16,38	...	2,23,62	1,95,38	1,98,49	8,03,22
1905-1906* . . . .	1,48,52	17,48	9,01	1,62,84	1,57,90	1,60,71	6,56,46

41. The receipts under this head exceeded the Budget by 17,46, but fell short of the actuals of the previous year by 1,46,76. As compared with the Budget, the improvement occurred chiefly under *Excise on Local Manufacture* (18,74), and was the result of increased consumption of locally manufactured salt, stimulated by the further reduction of duty from Rs to Rs½ per maund from 22nd March 1905, and was contributed to chiefly by India (10,36), Madras (3,98), and Bombay (4,43). In India the improvement occurred at Sambhar and the Mines, due to unprecedentedly brisk trade towards the end of the year, which also accounts for the large increase over the Revised. In Burma the small increase (6), was due to the gradual introduction of the system of assessment on the output of salt, while the falling-off in Bengal was due to the cessation of salt manufacture in Orissa. There was also an increase under *Sale of Government Salt* (1,63), being the result chiefly of an increase in India (2,16), due to large sales at Sambhar and the Mines and a decrease in Madras (1,06), due to short sales at factories, reduced exports from Madras depôt to Ceylon and to the unfavourable fishing season on the West Coast. Under *Duty on Imported Salt* the falling-off in Bengal, was due to country-made salt having replaced, to some extent the foreign manufacture, while the increase in Burma (67), was chiefly due to a large importation of English salt. Under *Miscellaneous* the decrease in India (25), was chiefly due to reduced sales under Through-Traffic system, that in Bengal (27), to lower rents of warehouses, and in Bombay (1,26), to reduced customs duty.

42. The large decrease, as compared with the actuals of the previous year, was due to the reduction of duty, referred to above.

IV.—Stamps.

		India.	Central Provinces.	Borss.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Frontier Province.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
Court-fee Stamps.	Accounts 1904-5	2,19	10,53	5,09	18,81	7,23	1,52,44	64,08	27,23	2,39	55,66	35,80	382,35
	Budget Revised 1905-6	2,31	10,72	5,48	20,76	7,28	1,58,20	66,92	28,25	2,46	55,05	35,25	392,68
	Accounts 1904-5	2,09	10,85	4,55	22,29	32,23	1,35,95	66,70	24,06	2,55	56,58	33,90	362,71
	Accounts 1905-6	2,10	10,87	4,71	22,93	32,43	1,35,57	67,93	24,91	2,62	56,38	33,70	366,15
Commercial and other Stamps.	Accounts 1904-5	1,19	4,87	3,76	13,64	2,68	53,73	19,17	12,11	1,33	31,81	26,72	1,70,81
	Budget Revised 1905-6	1,23	4,82	3,67	13,90	2,76	54,54	19,75	12,78	1,43	31,50	26,25	1,72,57
	Accounts 1904-5	1,30	5,08	4,10	13,65	13,44	44,40	20,60	12,43	1,43	34,75	28,50	1,79,98
	Accounts 1905-6	1,34	5,28	4,57	13,70	14,53	46,24	21,29	13,22	1,48	34,16	29,43	1,85,24
Fines and Penalties and Miscellaneous.	Accounts 1904-5	17	5	5	69	8	2,44	32	1,02	2	1,17	1,58	7,59
	Budget Revised 1905-6	4	6	5	34	6	1,26	33	1,03	2	1,25	2,50	5,84
	Accounts 1904-5	20	7	5	61	13	2,17	34	1,11	2	1,17	1,60	7,47
	Accounts 1905-6	11	17	4	76	12	1,91	36	1,07	2	1,33	1,67	7,56
TOTAL RUPEES.	Accounts 1904-5	3,55	15,45	8,90	33,14	9,99	2,08,61	84,47	40,36	3,74	88,44	64,10	3,60,75
	Budget Revised 1905-6	3,58	15,60	9,20	35,30	10,10	2,14,00	87,00	42,00	3,91	87,70	63,00	3,71,09
	Accounts 1904-5	3,59	16,00	9,00	36,55	45,80	1,82,52	87,70	38,50	4,00	92,50	64,00	3,80,16
	Accounts 1905-6	3,55	16,32	9,32	37,39	47,08	1,83,72	89,58	39,20	4,12	93,87	64,20	3,88,95
TOTAL IN STERLING.	Accounts 1904-5												£ 3,738,3
	Budget Revised 1905-6												3,807,3
	Accounts 1904-5												3,887,7
	Accounts 1905-6												3,926,4

\* Rate of duty reduced in all provinces, except Burma, from 18th March 1905 (vide Finance and Commerce Department Notification No. 154-S. R., dated 18th March 1905); and a further reduction in the rate was made from 22nd March 1905.

## Section A—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—continued.

## IV.—Stamps—concluded.

43. The receipts under this head exceeded both the Budget and the actuals of the previous year by 17,86 and 28,20, respectively. The improvement occurred under all the heads, and was the outcome of the growth of litigation and trade, and in some provinces of an unfavourable agricultural season necessitating execution of bonds and mortgages. Under *Court-fee Stamps* the increase was contributed by all the provinces, except India, Berar, the Punjab and Bombay and was due generally to increase in both Civil and Revenue litigation. Burma also includes special receipts of probate duty. The decrease in India was due to famine in Ajmer, in Berar to the transfer of Judicial Commissioner's Court to Nagpur, in the Punjab to the influence of the Alienation of Land Act, and to the introduction of the Punjab Loans Limitation Act, and in Bombay to absence of any considerable receipts of probate duty. Under *Commercial and other Stamps* the improvement occurred in all the provinces, except Burma where the reaction, noticed last year, after excessive speculation in land in Rangoon was maintained. In India, the increase was due to the sale of anna stamps and the unified stamp chiefly in Ajmer; in the Central Provinces and in Eastern Bengal and Assam the Budget was placed too low; in Berar the improvement was due to the prosperous condition of the agricultural classes; in Bengal to brisk trade; in the United Provinces, the Punjab and Madras, partly to executions of more bonds and mortgages in consequence of unfavourable agricultural season, and partly to expansion of trade; and in Bombay to development of insurance business, mill share speculations and conveyances of immoveable property. Under *Fines and Penalties, etc.*, the increase of 1,72 as compared with the Budget, was contributed to by all the provinces. In India it was due to the adjustment of the value of stamps, required for admission of attorneys and advocates of the Calcutta High Court; in Burma it was due to special receipts; in Bengal to receipts under duty on embossing one anna receipts and cheque stamps (1,22), other duties (8), and duty on unstamped and insufficiently stamped paper (6), partly counterbalanced by no receipts under composition duty (69).

## V.—Excise.

			India.	Central Prov- inces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal	U. P. of Agra and Oodh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Front- ier Prov- ince.	Mad- ras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
License and dis- tillery fees and duties for the sale of liquors and drugs.	Accounts Budget Revised Accounts	1904-5 1905-6	12,40 12,69 11,97 11,94	23,85 27,10 31,97 32,00	21,71 23,19 29,84 30,83	20,38 41,03 42,49 41,91	12,56 12,88 23,29 22,61	1,31,56 1,35,20 1,31,47 1,31,48	96,55 99,38 91,72 93,93	30,09 30,93 33,52 33,90	1,88 1,99 2,05 2,02	1,80,23 1,75,69 1,83,54 1,83,98	1,25,28 1,16,98 1,27,30 1,27,62	6,67,49 6,77,06 7,09,11 7,12,23
Opium	Accounts Budget Revised Accounts	1904-5 1905-6	6 26 18 15	4,39 4,40 4,65 4,64	2,41 2,50 2,50 2,33	42,81 44,22 40,66 40,27	15,61 16,26 17,30 17,61	18,40 20,00 17,90 17,96	5,68 5,60 5,75 5,79	1,54 1,50 1,77 1,74	7 2 7 9	4,95 5,10 4,68 4,86	8,87 8,83 8,05 8,41	1,04,79 1,08,80 1,03,51 1,03,85
Duty on Gunja	Accounts Budget Revised Accounts	1904-5 1905-6	... ... ... ...	1,51 1,49 1,67 1,71	31 28 42 44	... ... ... ...	2,36 2,25 5,30 5,90	17,57 18,00 18,70 18,73	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	... ... ... ...	1,63 1,50 1,55 1,53	4,76 4,53 4,85 5,85	28,14 28,05 32,49 34,16
Other Receipts	Accounts Budget Revised Accounts	1904-5 1905-6	6 6 6 7	1 1 1 1	3 3 4 4	63 75 85 84	1 1 7 7	37 30 31 29	2 3 3 3	... 1 1 1	1 ... ... ...	73 71 73 77	72 66 80 80	2,59 2,56 2,91 2,93
TOTAL REVENUE	Accounts Budget Revised Accounts	1904-5 1905-6	12,52 13,01 12,21 12,16	31,76 33,00 38,25 38,36	24,46 26,00 32,80 33,64	72,82 86,00 84,00 83,02	30,54 31,40 45,06 46,20	1,67,90 1,73,50 1,68,38 1,68,46	1,02,25 1,05,00 97,50 99,75	31,63 32,50 35,30 35,65	1,96 2,06 2,12 2,11	1,87,54 1,83,00 1,90,50 1,91,14	1,39,63 1,31,00 1,41,00 1,42,68	8,03,01 8,16,47 8,48,00 8,53,17
TOTAL IN STERLING	Accounts Budget Revised Accounts	1904-5 1905-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	£ 5,353.4 5,413.1 5,653.5 5,687.8

44. The receipts under this head exceeded the Budget Estimate and the actuals of the previous year by 36,70 and 50,16, respectively. The improvements were spread over all the provinces except India, Burma and the United Provinces, and were generally due to keen competition among the bidders at auction sales and to increased consumption, and in the Central Provinces, Berar and Bengal also partly to the introduction of reforms.

45. The largest increase, as compared with the Budget, occurred under *License and distillery fees and duties for the sale of liquors and drugs*, and was contributed by all the provinces except India and the United Provinces. In the former the decrease (75), was mainly due to a falling-off in rent

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## V.—Excise—concluded.

of beer taverns in Bangalore (15), duty on beer in Bangalore and Baluchistan (10) and to a decline in still head duty, owing to diminished consumption and reduction in the rate of duty in Coorg (28), Ajmer (18), and Bangalore (9), and in the United Provinces, (5,45) to a fall in still head duty on country spirits (10,15), due to a decrease in consumption owing to a bad season, high prices of food grains, and high price of liquor, partly counterbalanced by an increase (5,00) in still head duty on foreign spirits due to the large removal from bond of spirits in anticipation of the increase of duty on foreign spirits from Rs 4 to Rs 7 per gallon with effect from 1st April 1906. The increases in the Central Provinces (4,90) and Berar (7,64), were due to the introduction of the Madras system in most of the districts, and to high bids at auction sales; in Burma (88), it was attributed to large receipts from opium license fees and toddy revenues, partly counterbalanced by a decrease in liquor licenses; in Eastern Bengal and Assam, taken with Bengal there was an increase of (6,02), of which 5,32 occurred in Bengal proper, due to very favourable settlements with bidders at the annual sales, and to growth in consumption; 14 in Eastern Bengal and 56 in Assam, due to keen competition at auctions, and in Assam also partly to the introduction of the central distillery system; in the Punjab (2,97), due to brisk biddings at auctions, and to increased issues from distilleries to the Sikh districts of Amritsar, Jullundur and Ludhiana (3,66), partly counterbalanced by a decrease in import duties on *charas* (69), owing to the enhancement of the rate to Rs 6 per seer, and to the closure of 543 shops from 1st April 1905; in Madras (8,29), due to increased consumption of country spirits, and large realizations of tree tax; and in Bombay (10,64) to the raising of still head duty in Khandesh, to the large amounts offered as minimum guarantee of still head duty in Khandesh and Nasik, to the improved condition of local industries and growth of population in Bombay, and to keen competition for toddy shop licenses. Under *Duty on Ganja* the increase in the Central Provinces (22), and Berar (16), was due to increased consumption of ganja; in Eastern Bengal and Assam with Bengal proper, there was an increase of 4,38, of which 1,04, was contributed by Eastern Bengal, 82 by Assam and 2,52 by Bengal, due to increased consumption and the introduction of a uniform rate of duty for the several kinds of ganja, and in Bombay (1,32), due to large quantities of the drug having been exported to foreign countries in March 1906, in anticipation of the enhancement of duty. Under *Opium* the decrease in India (11), occurred chiefly in Ajmer and Bangalore; in Berar (17), it was due to the stoppage of import of Malwa opium in the latter portion of the year, owing to the introduction of Ghazipur opium; in Burma (3,95) mainly to the issue of orders in January 1905, restricting the retail sale of opium to the actual needs of consumers, as well as to their means of purchase; in Eastern Bengal (20), Assam (19), and Bengal (30) the estimates proved too high; in Madras (24), the fall was due to the equalisation of the price of opium throughout the Presidency, and to the high price of opium in the Bombay market, and in Bombay (42), to a decrease in transit duty owing to the small number of chests purchased, consequent on high prices and large stocks (1,19), partly counterbalanced by an increase in gain on sale-proceeds of excise opium owing to the enhanced issue rate in force throughout the year. The improvements in the Central Provinces (24) and the United Provinces (19) were due to increased consumption and that in the Punjab (18) to large import of Malwa opium owing to the poor crop of the Punjab and Hill State opium crop.

## VI.—Provincial Rates.

			India.	Central Provinces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. & Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N. W. Frontier Provinces.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
District and Local Rates and Cesses.	Accounts.	1904-5	23	5.18	4.30	17.72	6.03	1,04.45	57.39	25.42	1.85	61.93	22.83	3,09.23
	Budget		20	5.28	3.95	19.00	7.01	1,06.72	58.00	26.56	1.60	65.36	27.66	3,21.40
	Revised		12	5.35	4.30	19.00	23.65	89.36	57.69	23.10	1.88	64.56	25.88	3,14.89
	Accounts.	1905-6	10	5.09	4.18	18.30	23.53	88.94	57.87	22.07	1.79	69.63	26.44	3,18.86
Village Service Patwari and Chowkidari Cesses.	Accounts.	1904-5	63	5.58	3.07	...	...	...	35.05	15.41	1.35	24.26	5.02	90.31
	Budget		56	5.40	3.20	...	...	...	35.15	14.63	1.39	26.06	4.62	91.01
	Revised		44	5.45	3.07	...	...	10	34.71	13.54	1.30	27.25	4.62	90.48
	Accounts.	1905-6	42	5.14	3.02	...	...	0	34.57	14.02	1.41	26.24	5.07	89.98
Ramie Insurance, Canals and Railways.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	1.89	...	...	...	...	13.17	6.35	46	...	...	21.87
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Revised		...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	5	...	...	...	...	5.77	...	...	...	...	5.83
Rate on Wards Estates.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	1.05	...	17	2	...	...	1.24
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	1.84	1.72	18	2	...	...	3.76
	Revised		...	...	...	...	26	1.36	2.60	19	2	...	...	4.61
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	...	24	1.42	2.83	16	3	...	...	4.69

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46. The receipts under this head exceeded the Budget Estimate by 3,00 but fell short of the actuals of the previous year by 3,96. The improvement was mainly due to the receipts in the Punjab (5,75) under *Famine Insurance, etc.*, owing to the abolition of the famine cess having been carried out with effect from 1st April 1906 instead of from 1st April 1905, as sanctioned by the Government of India, and to the receipt under *Rates on Wards' Estates*, in the United Provinces of the rate levied under Act X of 1892, brought on the public accounts for the first time in the year under report. As compared with the Budget the falling-off in India (37) was due to famine in Ajmer, in the Central Provinces (40) to the transfer of the Sambalpur District to Bengal and to remission and abatement on account of failure of crops, in Burma (70) to failure of crops due to heavy floods. In Eastern Bengal and Assam with Bengal there was a decrease of 1,35 to which Assam contributed 16, due to damage to crops. 51 occurred in East Bengal and the balance in Bengal, due, in both cases, to non-realization of the increase anticipated from valuation and revaluation in several districts; and in Bombay the decrease was due to unfavourable agricultural conditions. The excess in Madras (4,45) was mainly due to the exceptionally high collection of the cesses suspended in 1904-5. In the Punjab the improvement under *Famine Insurance, etc.*, was largely counterbalanced by a decrease in the receipts under the first two heads, due partly to suspensions and remissions and partly to an over-estimate by local officers. The abolition of the Famine cess mainly accounts for the decreases in the actuals as compared with the previous year.

## VII.—Customs.

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## Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—continued.

## VII.—Customs—concluded.

47. The total receipts under this head fell short of the Budget and the actuals of the previous year by 2,40 and 2,07, respectively. The falling-off was mainly due to a decrease in the exports of rice from Burma and Madras on account of high prices and a strong home demand, partly counterbalanced by increased importations of spirits and liquors, sugar (ordinary duties), and cotton manufactures, and exports of rice to Japan from Bengal.

48. Under *Sea-Customs-Import Duties*, the improvement occurred chiefly in Bengal (5,98) and was due to large importations of cotton manufactures (9,99), spirits and liquors (5,57), sugar (ordinary duties) (2,14), articles of food and drink (96), chemicals, drugs, etc. (43), oils (23) and raw materials (57), partly counterbalanced by a falling-off under Petroleum (4,32). Silver, bullion and coin (2,10), other metals (5,47) and manufactured articles (2,05). The increase in Bombay (59), occurred under Spirits and Liquors (6,03), Sugar (ordinary duties) (4,84), cotton manufactures (5,38), manufactured articles (2,77) and raw materials (86), partly counterbalanced by decreases under Petroleum (1,28) and Silver, bullion and coin (8,75) due to Government having bought silver in England instead of in India, and, to no Straits dollars having been coined in the year. These increases were partly counterbalanced by decreases in Burma (47) and Madras (4,32). The decrease in Burma was due to reduced importations of petroleum, metals and manufactures of metals, and manufactured articles, partly counterbalanced by an improvement under sugar, spirits and liquors and articles of food and drink. In Madras it occurred under Petroleum (2,12) due to substitution of Burma oil for foreign produce, cotton manufactures (1,51) due to over-stock in the market, sugar (ordinary duties) (44), chemicals, drugs, etc. (23) and metals and manufactures of metals (1,23), partly counterbalanced by an increase under spirits and liquors (1,28). Under *Export Duties* the decrease occurred in Burma (6,25), Madras (2,22) and Bombay (73), due to the high prices and a strong home demand for rice and paddy following the failure of crops, and to increased cultivation in Brazil having adversely affected the export, partly counterbalanced by an increase in Bengal (4,30) due to heavy exports of rice to Japan, where there had been a failure of crop. Under *Excise Duty on Cotton Manufactures*, the improvement was due to high prices and large outturn of cotton cloths consequent on a heavy demand for them, and to a tendency to produce a better class of goods in the mills. Under *Land Customs and Miscellaneous*, the decrease occurred chiefly under over-time fees, due in Burma and Madras, to small shipments of rice and in Bengal to changes in the hours of work. The decrease in Bombay was due to a falling-off in the imports of salted fish from Goa owing to an unfavourable fishing season.

## VIII.—Assessed Taxes.

1904-5. Actuals.			1905-6. Budget.	Revised.	Actuals.
Rs.			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
31,99	India		21,60	22,22	22,52
3,11	Central Provinces		3,15	3,02	3,03
2,65	Berar		2,72	2,57	2,57
12,67	Burma		14,00	15,30	15,31
2,48	E. B. & Assam		2,51	5,58	5,79
50,33	Bengal		51,00	49,36	50,30
20,56	United Provinces of Agra and Oudh		20,50	20,20	20,74
12,21	Punjab		12,50	12,43	12,38
1,09	North-West Frontier Province		1,15	1,15	1,17
25,30	Madras		26,00	26,00	26,05
37,08	Bombay		37,00	38,50	38,25
1,90,47	TOTAL IN RUPEES		1,92,13	1,96,33	1,98,21
£			£	£	£
1,269,8	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING		1,280,9	1,308,8	1,311,4

49. The revenue under this head exceeded the Budget Estimate and the actuals of the previous year by 6,08, and 7,74, respectively. The improvement as compared with the Budget occurred in all the provinces except the Central Provinces, Berar and the Punjab. The increase in India (1,02), occurred mainly in deductions from salaries and pensions. Of the improvement in Eastern Bengal and Assam, and Bengal taken together (2,58), 9 were contributed by Eastern Bengal, and 2,47 by Bengal proper chiefly attributable to more careful assessment and additions to the number of assesses; the increase in Burma (1,31) was due to the application of the Income-tax Act throughout the whole of Lower Burma, the effect of which was not fully gauged in the Budget; and in Bombay (1,25) to increases in the salaries and in the numbers of Assesses, to the better earnings of some of the Cotton Mills and Joint-Stock Companies.



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## VIII.—Assessed Taxes—concluded.

to a gradual increase in the number of Government Securities, and to prompt collections (1.37), partly counterbalanced by a decrease of 11 owing to the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway line having been taken over by the State. The small improvement in the United Provinces (24) was due to an underestimate and that in Madras (5) to the expansion of trade, to more careful and searching assessment, and to enhanced assessment of persons already taxed. The decreases in Central Provinces (12) and the Punjab (12) were due to less receipts under ordinary collection, while in Berar (15), it was attributable to over-estimate.

30. The India figures include, in addition to the collections made in the districts directly administered by the Government of India, the recoveries by the Non-Civil Departments from the salaries of Government Officers. The details are given below:—

1904-5. Accounts. R		Budget. R	1905-6. Revised. R	Accounts. R
8,24	Civil Department, India	8,16	8,40	8,45
7,08	Military Department	6,86	6,85	7,13
5,05	Public Works Department	4,94	5,30	5,35
20	Marine Department	21	21	21
51	Post Office Department	51	52	53
91	Telegraph Department	92	94	95
TOTAL AS ABOVE		21,60	22,22	22,62
21,99				

## IX.—Forest.

		India.	Central Prov- inces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.W. Front- ier Prov- ince.	Madras	Bombay.	Total.
I Timber and other produce removed by Government Agency.	Accounts 1904-5	7,81	1,81	23	42,94	1,59	2,06	5,36	14,67	45	7,00	10,76	94,08
	Budget	8,48	4,10	21	43,12	2,10	2,40	5,17	13,26	43	9,32	11,71	1,00,33
	Revised	7,15	3,65	20	58,37	3,05	1,16	4,71	13,16	57	8,36	15,00	1,15,48
	Accounts 1905-6	7,77	3,40	20	54,08	2,44	97	4,48	12,22	58	9,09	14,84	1,10,07
II Timber and other produce removed by consumers or purchasers.	Accounts 1904-5	58	11,09	6,29	39,18	4,79	8,98	17,77	3,49	40	19,90	18,54	1,31,01
	Budget	60	10,02	6,37	41,36	4,81	9,11	17,07	4,00	48	17,87	15,58	1,27,33
	Revised	61	11,77	6,60	43,66	6,19	9,26	18,31	3,85	56	18,80	18,10	1,37,81
	Accounts 1905-6	64	13,28	6,88	41,07	6,64	9,63	18,52	4,46	64	19,05	18,88	1,39,99
III Other Receipts	Accounts 1904-5	22	63	9	7,48	1,78	63	84	58	6	1,39	91	14,61
	Budget	21	55	9	6,52	1,52	49	76	68	4	1,22	71	12,79
	Revised	24	58	8	7,87	1,94	44	85	99	5	1,75	90	15,19
	Accounts 1905-6	34	61	9	8,15	1,98	59	1,03	1,14	6	1,54	1,13	16,69
TOTAL RUPEES.	Accounts 1904-5	8,61	13,53	6,61	89,60	8,16	11,67	23,97	18,74	91	28,29	30,21	2,40,30
	Budget	9,19	14,67	6,70	91,00	8,13	12,00	23,0	18,00	95	28,41	28,00	2,40,45
	Revised	8,00	10,00	6,88	1,00,00	11,28	10,80	23,87	15,00	1,18	28,11	34,07	2,61,48
	Accounts 1905-6	8,75	17,32	7,17	1,03,30	11,06	11,19	24,33	17,82	1,28	29,68	34,85	2,66,75
												Total India, equivalent in Sterling.	Total, including England.
												£	£
												1,602,0	1,602,0
												1,603,0	1,601,0
												1,789,9	1,791,2
												1,778,3	1,779,6
												1,3	1,3
												1,3	1,3

51. The receipts in India showed an excess of 26,30 over the Budget and 26,45 over the actuals of the previous year. The improvement was mostly derived from Burma and Bombay. The increase in Burma was due generally to large extraction and sale of timber, and to increased collection and sale of drift wood at high prices; and that in Bombay chiefly to the rise in the price of *maliki* teak, to supply of sleepers to railways, to improved system of disposing of teak trees on occupied lands, to high prices of timber and firewood coupes and to large receipts on account of famine fodder. There were also important



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## IX.—Forest—continued.

increases in the Central Provinces, Eastern Bengal and Assam with Bengal, the United Provinces and Madras, due in the Central Provinces to an increased demand for timber and fodder grass, owing to general prosperity; in Eastern Bengal to large sales of timber and demand for scantlings, in Assam to increased revenue from elephant mahals, rubber, lac and thatching grass; in Bengal to the disposal to purchasers of a large number of trees proposed for departmental exploitation; in the United Provinces to large outturn of timber, to improved sales of dry and refuse timber, fuel and charcoal, and increased demand for Bhabar grass and limestone; and in Madras to increased realization of grazing fees and sale of minor produce. The increase over the actuals of the previous year is contributed by all the provinces except the Punjab, where the decline was chiefly caused by the great earthquake stopping all exploitation work for sometime. The principal improvement, however, was contributed by the Central Provinces, Burma, Madras and Bombay. The increase in the Central Provinces was due partly to large sales of timber in the Balaghat division, and partly to the causes stated above which produced the excess over the Budget. The large improvement in Burma was chiefly attributable to extensive extraction and sale of timber, *pyingado* sleepers, *padauk* and firewood. The improvement in Madras was, due to the extension of the departmental system of exploitation, to the opening of several new depôts for the sale of small timber, fuel, hay and agricultural implements, and to large supplies of timber and firewood to Railways, mills and the public, partly counterbalanced by gradual abolition of the permit system in favour of departmental working. The increase in Bombay was more or less due to the causes stated above.

52. Under *Timber and other produce removed by Government Agency*, the increase in Burma over the Budget, was chiefly due to large extraction and sale. The increase would have been more but a large quantity of timber remained unsold at the close of the year, and the extraction of teak and *pyingado* sleepers in Pyinmana Division was restricted owing to an outbreak of plague, and departmental extraction in the Mandalay Division was not undertaken as originally intended; in the North-West Frontier Province the increase was due to an increase in the contribution from the Punjab, owing to the rise in the receipts from the sale of Hazara timber; in Bombay the improvement was partly due to receipts on account of Famine fodder in the Central Circle (2,20), and partly to enhanced prices of timber and large supply of Railway sleepers from the Southern Circle (86). On the other hand, there is a fall in India (71) which is composed chiefly of a decrease of 1,25 in the Andamans, due to reduced sales of timber on account of stormy weather causing delay and loss in transit of logs by sea into Port Blair, and an increase of 51 in Coorg, attributable to large sales of timber and sandal wood, and to supply of timber to the Ordnance Department. The decline in the Central Provinces (70), was mainly due to short departmental work in Balaghat and Bhandara divisions, and to reduced sales of timber in South Chanda and of fuel in North Chanda divisions. In Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal taken together there was a decrease of 1,09, of which 51 occurred in Assam owing to short supply of sleepers to the Eastern Bengal Railway, and 71 in Bengal proper, due to reduction in the departmental exploitation of trees in the Kurseong and Angul divisions, to absence of demand from the Public Works Department, and by the discontinuance of the supply of fuel to the Transport and Supply department at the Jalapahar, Lebong and Darjeeling divisions; while in Eastern Bengal there was an increase of 15 due to a good demand for scantlings and large sales of sleepers in the Jalpaiguri and Buza Divisions. The fall in the United Provinces was mainly due to short production of sleepers, owing to the late arrival of Kangra sawyers, in consequence of the earthquake, and to short supply of timber to the Military Works Department, and to Rajputana Malwa Railway (82), partly counterbalanced by an increase caused by extensive fuel operations in the Nainital Division. The decrease in the Punjab was due to the cessation of exploitation work in consequence of earthquake, and to slack demand for firewood, partly counterbalanced by receipts from the timber brought down by the heavy floods in the Jhelum, and by better sale-proceeds of timber from the Pangl Forests. The decline in Madras was caused by short supply of timber to the Kolar Mines, and by the absence of sale of timber in Mysore owing to the delay in certain arrangements with the Durbar. The decline would have been more, had not there been a rise in the receipt from Sandal wood in North Arcot, due to large exploitation and better supervision and high prices.

53. Under *Timber and other produce removed by consumers and purchasers*, the improvement was contributed by all the provinces except Burma, where there was a decline, caused mainly by the closing of Pegu canals, for a few months for repairs, which prevented purchasers from transporting timber to Rangoon, partly counterbalanced by an increase in revenue in the Southern and Northern Circles, due to large extraction. The more important increases were obtained from the Central Provinces, Eastern Bengal and Assam with Bengal, United Provinces, Madras and Bombay. The improvement in the Central Provinces was due to increased demand for timber and fodder grass, owing to the general prosperity of the country, and also to enhanced prices obtained from the sale of lac and Harra leases. In Eastern Bengal there was an increase of 31 due to increased receipts from timber, fuel and grazing fees; in Assam of 58 due to large receipts from elephant mahals, home rubber, lac and thatching grass; and of 1,46 in Bengal proper

## Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—continued.

## IX.—Forest—concluded.

due to a large number of trees intended for departmental exploitation having been sold to purchasers, to the construction of cart roads in the Singhbhum Division, to increased sale of *sundri* logs and poles and *golepatta* in the Sunderbunds Division, and to more mica squares having been taken up in the Palamau Division. Large sales of dry and refuse timber, fuel and charcoal and enhanced prices of both Deodar and chir trees (65), large outturn and high prices in the Kheri Division (71), and a large demand for Bhabar grass and limestone (24), were mainly responsible for the improvement in the United Provinces. The increase in Madras was due generally to satisfactory supervision, and partly to the levying of grazing fees on cattle on the Javadies in North Arcot (62), and to improved sales of minor produce (1,11), partly counterbalanced by decrease under firewood, owing to the absence of demand for fuel coupes in North Arcot and Trichinopoly, and for the standing growth in the Coast Range plantations in Nellore, and to short revenue from sale of trees in South Arcot (59). The increase in Bombay was derived chiefly from the Northern Circle (1,55), and Central Circle (1,58). The improvement in the former was due to the rise in the rates for Malki teak, etc., and to the improved system of disposing of teak trees in occupied lands; while the increase in the latter was due to rise in the sale-proceeds of timber and firewood coupes, to royalty trees on occupied lands, to increased demand for bamboos, to the farming of the right over Hirda and Shikakari in Satara, and to better supervision over grazing and fodder grass.

54. Under *Other Receipts* the improvement in Burma and the Punjab was chiefly due to increased receipts from drift wood, that in Bengal and Madras mainly to increased collection of compounding fees, that in the United Provinces principally to fees for shooting permits, to compensation and to receipts from Miscellaneous sources, and that in Bombay chiefly to fines and forfeitures and sale of fencing material.

## X.—Registration.

			India.	Central Prov. Inces.	Bihar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of AGRA and Oudh.	Pun- jab.	N.-W. Frontier Prov- inces.	Mad- ras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
Fees for regis- tering Docu- ments.	Accounts	1904-5	14	57	63	1,68	71	15,70	3,78	1,66	19	12,87	5,74	43,67
	Budget		14	57	70	1,83	71	15,85	4,00	1,90	23	12,45	5,74	44,12
	Revised		15	63	74	1,80	3,49	13,27	4,28	1,74	18	13,72	6,33	46,32
	Accounts	1905-6	16	65	77	1,83	3,69	13,45	4,25	1,87	19	14,15	6,50	47,48
Fees for copies of Registered Documents.	Accounts	1904-5	2	26	32	1	1	41	22	51	5	34	14	2,32
	Budget		2	24	36	2	1	42	26	56	5	35	13	2,42
	Revised		2	26	35	3	10	39	22	55	5	35	15	2,47
	Accounts	1905-6	2	27	37	2	10	39	22	56	5	36	16	2,52
Other Receipts.	Accounts	1904-5	1	14	9	16	..	76	54	15	2	2,87	8	4,81
	Budget		1	14	9	15	..	73	50	14	3	3,00	8	4,87
	Revised		1	17	8	17	14	66	60	15	2	2,83	8	4,31
	Accounts	1905-6	1	16	9	18	13	66	62	16	2	2,18	8	4,29
TOTAL IN Ru- pees.	Accounts	1904-5	17	97	1,03	1,95	72	16,90	4,51	2,33	26	16,08	5,96	50,80
	Budget		17	95	1,15	2,00	72	17,00	4,76	2,60	31	15,80	5,95	51,41
	Revised		18	1,06	1,17	2,00	3,73	14,32	5,10	2,44	25	16,30	6,55	52,10
	Accounts	1905-6	19	1,08	1,23	2,03	3,89	14,50	5,09	2,59	26	16,69	6,74	52,99
														6
														338,7
														342,7
														354,0
														362,0

55. The receipts under this head exceeded the Budget, and the actuals of the previous year by 2,88 and 2,49, respectively, the improvements indicating the gradual growth of the operations of the Department. Under *Fees for Registering Documents* the improvement, which is due to the increased number of documents registered, was contributed chiefly by Eastern Bengal and Assam, Bengal, the United Provinces, Madras and Bombay, owing mainly to the unfavourable character of the season, which necessitated the execution of a large number of bonds. The amendment of Transfer of Property Act by Act VI of 1904 in Bombay and the United Provinces, and the operations of the Encumbered Estates Act in the latter, enhanced the receipts in those provinces. In Madras the increase was partly due to the registration of a large number of Provident Societies. Under *Other Receipts*, the decrease occurred in Madras (82), and was due to the modification, by the High Court, of the ruling requiring in all cases the production of encumbrance certificates in connection with the execution of decrees relating to immoveable property, partly counterbalanced by increased receipts in the United Provinces (12) due to more frequent visits by Sub-registrars and to more numerous inspections of books and indexes.

## Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—continued.

## XI.—Tributes from Native States.

1904-5. Accounts. Rs.		Budget. Rs.	1905-6. Revised. Rs.	Accounts. Rs.
TRIBUTES AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF RS. 50,000 AND OVER—				
India—				
2,00	Udaipur	2,00	2,00	2,00
98	Jodhpur	98	98	98
4,00	Jaipur	4,00	4,00	4,00
2,35	Kotah	2,35	2,35	2,35
1,20	Bundi	1,20	1,20	1,20
Central Provinces—				
35	Nandgaon	70	1,05	70
1,05	Khairgarh	70	70	70
Burma—				
4,72	Shan States	4,15	4,43	4,44
E. B. and Assam—				
50	Manipur State	50	50	50
Punjab—				
1,00	Mandi	1,00	1,00	1,00
1,31	Kapurthalla	1,31	1,31	1,31
Madras—				
7,85	Travancore	7,83	7,83	7,83
35,00	Malabar	35,00	35,00	35,00
2,00	Cochin	2,00	2,00	2,00
Bombay—				
4,94	Kathiawar	6,18	5,00	6,72
1,87	Kutch	1,87	1,87	1,87
3,61	Baroda State	4,02	4,02	4,30
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR SPECIAL MILITARY FORCES—				
India—				
1,61	Bhopal Levy (Bhopal)	1,61	1,61	1,61
34	Malwa Contingent (Jowrah)	2,87	...	34
1,15	Erinpura Irregular Force (Jodhpur)	1,15	1,15	1,15
2,00	Deollee Irregular Force (Kotah)	2,00	2,00	2,00
47	Malwa Bhool Corps	61	83	69
Bombay—				
79	Southern Mahratta Country	82	82	89
TRIBUTES AND CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER RS. 50,000—				
2,30	India	2,28	2,58	2,53
1,05	Central Provinces	1,03	85	91
50	Burma	70	90	84
...	Bengal	...	16	20
47	Punjab	47	47	47
25	Madras	25	25	25
41	Bombay	41	45	45
FEES ON SUCCESSION TO NATIVE STATES—				
82	India	7	2	...
1,32	Punjab	1,30	22	24
...	Madras	...	1	1
6,89	Bombay	1,60	1,53	1,25
19,22	TOTAL India	21,12	18,72	17,73
2,45	" Central Provinces	2,43	2,60	2,31
5,22	" Burma	4,85	5,33	5,28
50	" Eastern Bengal and Assam	50	50	50
...	" Bengal	...	16	20
4,10	" Punjab	4,08	3,00	3,02
45,08	" Madras	45,08	45,09	45,09
18,51	" Bombay	15,00	13,69	15,48
95,08	TOTAL IN RUPEES	93,06	89,09	89,61
633,8	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING	£ 620,4	593,9	597,4

## Section A.—PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE—concluded.

## XI.—Tributes from Native States—concluded.

6. The receipts under this head are for the most part fixed. The variations that occur arise generally either from the non-payment of dues or from advance or arrear collections. The total receipts fell short of the Budget and the actuals of the previous year by 3.45 and 5.47, respectively.

57. Under *Tributes* the decrease in India was due to postponement of instalments on account of famine from the Bundi State, partly counterbalanced by arrear recoveries from Banswara (11), Dungarpur (9), and Sâilana States (7). In the Central Provinces and Bengal the variations were chiefly due to mutual transfer of certain tributes. Better realisations than were anticipated from Shan States (29), and arrear collection (29) from Momeik and other petty States in Burma, and the recovery of arrears from Kathiawar (44), and Baroda (28), States in Bombay, account for the increases in the two provinces. Under *Contributions* the postponement of payment from Jowrah (2,53) for *Mulwa Contingent*, partly counterbalanced by arrear collection from Dewas for the *Mulwa Bhool Corps* explain the decrease in India, while advance payment by the Mudhol and Jath States caused an excess in Bombay. Non-payment of nazarana by Sitaman State in India (7), and by the Raja of Mandi in the Punjab (1,06), and non-recovery of the full amount from Savantavadi, Sangli and other petty States in Bombay (35), account for the decrease under *Fees on Succession to Native States*.

58. As compared with the previous year the decrease is chiefly due to large recoveries from Sangli State in the previous year under *Fees on Succession to Native States*.

## Section A.—DIRECT DEMANDS ON THE REVENUES.

1904-5. Accounts.	EXPENDITURE—	Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
R		R	R	R
12,78,07	India (Rupee figures)	13,06,89	13,08,14	13,09,35
£		£	£	£
8,320,4	Equivalent in Sterling	8,712,6	8,721,0	8,729,0
48,7	England	44,2	48,9	50,5
8,569,1	TOTAL	8,756,8	8,769,9	8,779,5

59. The expenditure in this section exceeded the Budget Estimate, and the actuals of the previous year by £21,7 or R3,41 and £210,4 or R31,56, respectively. As compared with the Budget, the most important excesses occurred under Opium (£55,1 or R8,27) and Forest (£28,3 or R4,25). Under Opium the excess occurred in the Behar Agency, where the estimate was placed low, in anticipation of a bad season, partly counterbalanced by a saving in the Benares Agency due to a short crop, and that under Forest to large extractions of timber, expansion of sleeper operations, and to payments to contractors, in Burma, for extractions in the previous year, to a large payment to the Chamba State in the Punjab, as profits on working its forests in 1904-5, and to Famine grass operations in Bombay. There was an excess of £11,3 or R1,69 under Refunds and Drawbacks, mainly in Stamps refunds in all the provinces and in other revenue refunds in Burma, due to refunds of tributes by means of actual refunds instead of by short recovery of amounts due, and in Bombay, to large excise refunds; and a small excess of £3,5 or R53 under Stamps. These excesses were largely counterbalanced by savings under the other heads, the more important of which were £42,1 or R6,31 under Land Revenue chiefly in the charges for District Administration, Land Records and Agriculture, and Allowances to District and Village Officers, £10,1 or R1,51 under Salt, contributed by all the provinces, mainly in charges for salaries, establishment and contingencies, and £10,5 or R1,58 under Excise, due mainly to the partial utilization of provisions in the Central Provinces, Burma and Bombay for revision of establishment, and for reforms in distilleries in the United Provinces. There were also small savings under Assignments and Compensations (£4,1 or R62) chiefly in Madras and Bombay, and under Customs (£6,4 or R95) due mainly to the non-utilization of provisions for revision of establishments, and the purchase of preventive service boats in Bengal, while Provincial Rates and Registration added £2,4 or R 36 to the saving.

60. The excess as compared with the actuals of the previous year, was contributed by all the heads except Opium, under which there was a decrease of £74,6 or R11,19, due to the smaller outturn of the crop, which was 104,062 maunds against 111,539 maunds in the previous year. Of the increase, £132,2 or R19,83 occurred under Land Revenue chiefly in the charges for District Administration, Survey and Settlement and Land Records and Agriculture, in all the provinces except the North-West Frontier; £85,7 or R12,85 under Forest chiefly in Burma, the Punjab and Bombay due to the causes stated above, and in Madras due to the extension of the Departmental system of exploitation, and to large supplies of timber and firewood to railways, mills and the public; £8,5 or R1,28 under Assignments and Compensations chiefly in Land Revenue Compensations; £18,1 or R2,71 under Salt in India and Madras due to large demands and a favourable manufacturing season; £7,1 or R1,07 under Stamps of which £3,0 occurred in England in the demand for stores, and £15,8 or R2,37 under Excise owing to improvements in Excise Administration. There were also small increases under Refunds and Drawbacks (£5,9 or R88), Provincial Rates (£6 or R9), Customs (£3,2 or R48), Assessed Taxes (£1,2 or R18) and Registration (£6,7 or R1,01).

## Section A.—DIRECT DEMANDS ON THE REVENUES—continued.

## 1.—Refunds and Drawbacks.

			India.	Central Provinces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Frontier Province.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
Land Revenue	Accounts.	1904-5	14	23	16	1,15	16	41	25	41	9	90	2,51	6,40
	Budget		7	12	12	1,00	19	64	35	40	9	90	1,81	5,69
	Revised		8	10	15	1,20	15	40	24	30	10	1,39	1,92	6,03
	Accounts.	1905-6	6	6	18	1,17	14	47	23	35	9	1,20	1,90	5,85
Salt	Accounts.	1904-5	28	...	...	20	...	1,62	...	...	...	22	63	2,95
	Budget		25	...	...	20	...	1,72	...	...	...	30	70	3,17
	Revised		40	...	...	20	...	1,75	...	...	...	37	61	2,74
	Accounts.	1905-6	37	...	...	23	...	1,77	...	...	...	55	69	3,01
Stamps	Accounts.	1904-5	6	21	6	46	6	1,60	64	56	6	1,10	99	6,19
	Budget		6	16	6	40	7	1,84	1,00	53	7	1,11	1,00	6,30
	Revised		6	21	9	60	14	1,67	1,00	64	7	1,20	1,36	7,04
	Accounts.	1905-6	7	20	9	66	21	1,73	1,10	64	7	1,25	1,49	7,51
Customs	Accounts.	1904-5	...	1	...	2,13	...	4,00	...	...	...	68	1,64	12,46
	Budget		...	1	...	2,52	...	4,00	...	...	...	73	5,60	12,86
	Revised		...	1	...	1,65	3	3,75	...	...	...	68	5,24	11,36
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	1	...	1,59	1	3,80	...	...	...	64	5,79	11,34
Assessed Taxes	Accounts.	1904-5	3	2	2	7	1	29	11	7	1	24	13	1,00
	Budget		3	3	1	8	1	28	23	8	1	20	16	1,12
	Revised		4	2	11	10	1	20	15	7	1	27	28	1,26
	Accounts.	1905-6	4	2	10	9	2	17	13	6	2	22	14	1,01
Other Revenue Refunds.	Accounts.	1904-5	6	20	1	17	12	44	28	5	1	40	2,33	4,67
	Budget		...	18	1	31	8	36	20	8	1	47	1,03	3,72
	Revised		3	26	...	1,25	8	48	44	4	...	30	2,43	5,40
	Accounts.	1905-6	1	28	1	1,30	6	40	46	4	1	58	2,60	5,84
TOTAL IN RUPEES.	Accounts.	1904-5	57	66	23	4,78	35	8,45	1,58	1,00	17	3,54	12,23	33,67
	Budget		41	50	10	4,51	35	8,81	1,87	1,00	18	3,71	11,20	32,86
	Revised		61	60	35	5,00	41	7,65	1,83	1,05	18	4,30	11,85	33,83
	Accounts.	1905-6	55	5	38	5,04	44	7,83	1,92	1,00	19	4,44	12,11	34,56
TOTAL IN STERLING.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	224.5
	Revised		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	219.1
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	225.5
Excess over Grant	Imperial		14	5	18	7	6	...	...	1	1	37	26	1,18
	Provincial		...	2	...	46	4	...	7	...	...	36	64	1,50
	Imperial Government		10	5	15	...	6	...	...	...	...	23	...	58
	Provincial Government		...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Excess sanctioned by Local Government	Imperial		...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	15	14	34
	Provincial		...	2	...	46	...	...	7	...	...	36	64	1,50
	Imperial Government		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Provincial Government		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Excess awaiting sanction of the Imperial Government	Imperial		4	...	2	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	13	20
	Provincial		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Imperial Government		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Provincial Government		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

## Section A.—DIRECT DEMANDS ON THE REVENUES—continued.

## 1.—Refunds and Drawbacks—concluded.

*Assessed Taxes* the over-estimates chiefly in Bengal and United Provinces, were partly counterbalanced by an increase in Berar (9), due to refunds occasioned by excessive assessment, for want of proper data on the introduction of the tax. Under *Other Revenue Refunds* the increase in Burma (99) was due chiefly to a remission of tributes by refunds, instead of by short recovery of the amount due; that in the Central Provinces (10) and Bombay (57) to large excise refunds; that in the United Provinces (17) to an adjustment made to clear off outstanding debits on account of Forest Remittances, and that in Madras (11) due chiefly to a refund of receipts wrongly adjusted in the previous year.

## 2.—Assignments and Compensations.

			India.	Central Provinces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Pro- vian- ce.	Mad- ras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
Land Revenue compensa- tions.	Accounts.	1904-5	36	30	4	1	16	2,06	2,88	85	21	4,94	90,93	1,02,74
	Budget		39	30	3	1	35	2,17	3,00	83	22	5,60	92,07	1,04,97
	Revised		42	30	3	1	1,13	1,70	2,97	86	22	5,35	92,14	1,05,13
	Accounts.	1905-6	42	30	3	1	1,10	1,80	2,97	81	21	5,10	91,29	1,04,04
Opium com- pensations.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	46	51
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	46	51
	Revised		...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	46	51
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	46	51
Salt compensa- tions.	Accounts.	1904-5	30,67	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	4,87	50	36,24
	Budget		30,44	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	4,88	52	36,04
	Revised		30,98	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	4,88	92	36,98
	Accounts.	1905-6	30,97	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	4,87	91	36,95
Excise compen- sations.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	1	...	...	...	9	7	...	...	9	3,81	4,07
	Budget		...	2	...	...	...	9	6	...	...	7	4,15	4,39
	Revised		...	11	...	...	...	8	6	...	...	7	4,22	4,54
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	10	...	...	...	7	5	...	...	4	4,89	5,16
Customs com- pensations.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	1	1,45	6	1,75
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	1,51	6	1,77
	Revised		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	1,51	41	2,15
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	1,51	37	2,11
Purchase of Life Pensions.	Accounts.	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	2
	Revised		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	4
	Accounts.	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	5
Miscellaneous compensa- tions.	Accounts.	1904-5	3,16	20	25,08	...	20	26	26	1,32	...	19	1,69	31,36
	Budget		2,17	21	25,07	...	18	40	26	69	2	22	1,07	30,89
	Revised		2,18	20	25,07	...	19	31	26	1,06	...	20	19	29,25
	Accounts.	1905-6	2,18	18	25,03	...	25	29	25	51	...	28	19	29,16
TOTAL RUPEES.	Accounts.	1904-5	33,19	51	25,12	1	36	1,57	3,23	3,50	22	11,54	97,45	1,26,70
	Budget		33,00	53	25,10	1	53	2,82	3,35	1,80	24	12,18	98,93	1,28,59
	Revised		33,58	61	25,10	1	1,32	2,26	3,31	2,25	22	12,10	98,34	1,29,10
	Accounts.	1905-6	33,57	58	25,06	1	1,35	2,34	3,29	1,66	21	11,80	98,11	1,27,98
TOTAL IN STERLING.	Accounts	1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£
	Budget		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,190,6
	Revised Accounts	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,164,0 1,186,5

62. The charges under this head showed a saving of 61, as compared with the Budget, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 1,28. As compared with the Budget, the saving under *Land Revenue Compensations* occurred chiefly in Madras (50), and Bombay (78), due in the former to low payments of *Malikana* and Pensions in lieu of resumed lands, and in the latter to a reduction in the adjustment of the assessment of alienated lands in consequence of revision surveys, and to relinquishment of lands by holders and acquisition of land by Government. These savings were partly counterbalanced by increases in Assam (16), due to drawings of arrears by the Rajah of Tipperah, and in Eastern Bengal (3) and Bengal (19), due to arrear *Malikana* payments. Under *Salt Compensations*, the excess in India (53) was due to increased royalty, paid to Jodhpur and Jaipur States, in consequence of increased sales at





Section A.—DIRECT DEMANDS ON THE REVENUES—*continued.*3.—Land Revenue—*concluded.*

63. The Indian charges under this head fell off by 6,51 as compared with the Budget Estimate, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 19,70. The decrease as compared with the Budget, was mainly derived from *Charges of District Administration*, chiefly in Bengal, due to savings in salaries (1,18), and in Bombay (1,93), due to the provisions for revision of revenue establishment in Sind, the division of Khandesh, and the charges in connection with the Mirpur Khas scheme not having been utilized; from *Land Records and Agriculture*, chiefly in Burma, due to the programme of supplementary survey and town survey operations not having been fully undertaken; in the United Provinces, due to the savings in the Patwari Fund, and to curtailment of land record survey operations; and in Madras to large lapses in the provision for the maintenance of land records; and from *Allowances to District and Village Officers* mainly in Madras in the payments to village officers. As compared with the actuals of the previous year the excess (19,70) was contributed by all the provinces except the North-West Frontier, but chiefly by Burma (3,24), Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal together (10,16), United Provinces (1,80), Punjab (1,83), and Madras (2,68). The excess in Burma was due to large expenditure on settlement surveys, to extensive operations of supplementary and town surveys and to the disbursement in the year under review of commission earned on a considerable portion of land revenue collected late in 1904-5. The increase in Eastern Bengal occurred mainly under *Charges of District Administration* and in outlay on improvements of Government Estates; and that in Bengal under the former, from private survey and settlement charges. Discontinuance of the system of adjusting the recovery from Courts of Wards on account of the cost of superior supervision by deduction from charges, the transfer of the charges for Court of Wards Establishment in district offices from personal ledger account to this head, and the extension of the operations of the Bundelkhand Encumbered Estates' Act, account mainly for the increase in the United Provinces. The increase in the Punjab was due chiefly to the charges of the new Lyallpore district having been incurred for the entire year against three months in 1904-5. The excess in Madras was mainly caused by the formation of the new district of Guntur from 1st October 1904, and by increased expenditure on the maintenance of Land Records.

64. Under *Charges of District Administration* the increase in India (10) was due chiefly to the adjustment under this head of the leave allowance of members of the Berar Commission paid at the Hyderabad Treasury (8), to the increased rate of pay of the Assistant Commissioner, Marwara and non-realization of probable savings under salaries in Ajmer (5), and to increase in the Sub-divisional Establishments (2), partly counterbalanced by savings under Travelling Allowance (3), and purchase and repairs of tents (1). There is a small excess in Eastern Bengal (12), which was due to an under-estimate. The excess in the United Provinces (16), is mainly composed of increases under establishment (51), allowances (12), supplies and services (6), and construction of boundary pillars (18), and savings in the salaries of district staff (67), consequent on the absence of officers on furlough, and in the process-serving establishment (31). The increase in the Punjab (37) occurred chiefly under Sub-divisional Establishment, owing partly to the revision of establishment, and partly to the Tahsildars and Naibs having been allowed to draw minimum salary during the first thirty days of privilege leave vacancy with effect from 20th September 1905; there was however a saving under general establishment (41), due mainly to over-estimate which is covered by the provision for probable savings in the Budget. The excess in the North-West Frontier Province (9), is made up of increases of 11 under general establishments due chiefly to the appointments of district Judges having been held by Assistant Commissioners, and 8 under Forest Reserve and Grazing Lands, owing mainly to the imperialization, with effect from 1st April 1905, of the establishment of the Khewra and Tira Jungles, and a saving of 10 under Sub-divisional Establishment due chiefly to the provision for revision of pay of Naib Tahsildars not having been utilized. The excess in Madras (57), was caused chiefly by increased salaries of Collectors and Divisional Officers (25), and Tahsildars (12), due mainly to privilege leave allowances, and by a special charge in connection with the purchase of the "Bishopdown" property at Ootacamund, and of the land at Charing Cross in the Nilgiris not provided for in the Budget. The decrease in the Central Provinces (13), was the result chiefly of a saving of 37, due to the transfer of Sambalpur, and an excess of 14 for increased expenditure for furniture, books and tents together with an excess of 9 due to the formation of the Drug District from 1st January 1906. The saving in Berar (32) was due to the reduction of districts, and to the transfer of charges to 19 A.—Law and Justice on the reparation of the Judicial and Executive duties. The decrease in Burma (41), was due to savings in the salaries of gazetted officers (64), caused by vacancies and absence of officers on long leave, and under revenue establishment (35), due to small outlay on circle establishment under the village headmen scheme, partly counterbalanced by excesses under Sub-divisional Establishment (6), under supplies and services (28), mainly on account of heavy outlay on compensation for lands taken up for public purpose, and under contingencies (24). The decrease in Bengal was due partly to the lump provision for increase of pay of ministerial establishment not having been fully used, and partly to savings under Salaries (1,18), Establishment (31), Supplies and Services (37) and Contingencies (4), partly counterbalanced by excess under Record-room

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establishment (20), and charges for survey of waste lands (10), and by increased expenditure due to the transfer of Sambalpur. The saving in Bombay (1,03,) was due to the provisions for the revision of revenue establishment in Sind, for the division of the Khandesh District, and for the charges in connection with the Mirpur Khas scheme not having been utilized.

65. Under *Survey and Settlement* the excess in India (12), was due chiefly to the charges for the Nasirabad settlement (8), and increased charges for settlement parties (4) in Baluchistan; that in Burma (58), to privilege leave arrangements, payment of increased rate of salaries, entertainment of additional establishment for the office of the Settlement Commissioner, and to heavy outlay on demarcation and fishery and revenue surveys by local agencies; of that in Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal considered together (2,55), 8 occurred in Assam due to the adjustment of the cost of traverse survey in the Assam books, instead of in those of the Comptroller, India Treasuries; and (4,90), in Bengal proper due to increased expenditure for survey and settlement operations (3,20), to deduction for probable savings in the Budget (3,00), not realized, reduced by short expenditure under Chota Nagpur operations (1,32). There was, on the other hand, a saving of 2,67, in Eastern Bengal attributed to over-estimate. The excess in the North-West Frontier Province (51), was chiefly due to the continuance of the settlement operations in the Hazara and Dera Ismail Khan districts. While the savings, in the Central Provinces (79), and United Provinces (51) were mainly due to the programme of operations not having been undertaken to the extent anticipated. The decrease in the Punjab (1,90) was due chiefly to the provision for the charges incidental to settlement operations having been only partially utilized, and was foreseen in the Revised. The saving in Madras (46) was almost entirely in the provision for temporary establishment for preparing settlement registers and accounts in Malabar and South Canara. The decrease in Bombay (32) was caused by large recoveries from occupants in Jamrao Canal Colony due to extension of cultivation, and to reduced payments to offices of other provinces. Under *Land Records and Agriculture* the saving in the Central Provinces (33) was due to the partial utilization of the provision for the pay of Patwaris, to the transfer of the Sambalpur district and to the transfer to 26—Scientific and other minor Departments of the provision in connection with the co-operative credit societies; that in Burma (73), partly to the full programme of supplementary survey operations in Pokokku and other districts not having been undertaken or completed, and partly to short outlay on town surveys; that in the United Provinces (1,04,) mainly to the delay in the introduction of the measures for improving the position of the Patwari and Kanungo staff (86), and to the curtailment of land record survey operations (31), partly counterbalanced by increase in expenditure owing to the deputation of extra officers in connection with the development of agricultural Departments (18); and that in Madras (88), to the lapse of 32 under Checking Field sketches, and 18 under Land Record staff, and to an over-estimate in the Local Section. On the other hand there was a large excess in Bombay (65) owing chiefly to extra allowances to district and village officers, in connection with famine, and under salaries of officers, reduced by savings due to the partial utilization of the grant for Akran survey, demarcation of waste lands, and village cess establishment in Sind, training of Talatis and for payments to officers of other provinces. The small excess in Eastern Bengal and Assam, which falls almost entirely in the latter, occurred mainly under supervising Kanungos and district mandals, and partly also under salaries and establishments of the Director of Land Records. Under *Management of Government Estates*, Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal proper together showed a net increase of 48, the excess occurring in Eastern Bengal (89), owing to under-estimate, counterbalanced by saving in Bengal proper (42), which was chiefly due to adjustment by a minus entry (44) on account of Road and Public Works Cess payable by Government as holder, not provided for in the Budget. The decrease in the United Provinces (25), was mainly due to savings under establishment (4), supplies and services (12), and outlay on improvements (5). Under *Commission on Collections* there is a saving in Burma (64), due mainly to decline in the collection of Land Revenue, to over-estimate of commission on capitation tax and Thathameda tax and to the non-utilization of the provision for removing fishery bunds in Ma-ubin and Majaungmya districts, partly counterbalanced by payment in the year under report of the commission earned on a considerable portion of Land Revenue collected late in the previous year. While the increase in Eastern Bengal and Assam (32), was caused by the extension of the Mauzadari system in Assam. Under *Allowances to District and Village Officers*, the increase in Berar (10), was caused by large payments consequent upon increased collections of land revenue. The Budget in Madras was an over-estimate. Under *Other Charges* the saving in the United Provinces (46), was due to partial utilization of the grants for the purchase of estates (65), partly counterbalanced by an increase under salaries (17), caused by the appointment of two new special Judges. Out of the excesses of 29 (Imperial) and 69 (Imperial) in India and North-West Frontier Province 6 and 21 have been sanctioned and the remainders 23 and 48 in those provinces respectively, require to be sanctioned. The excesses of 2,23 (Imperial) and 6,10 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam have been sanctioned. Of the excess of 4,50 (Imperial) in Bengal, over the reduced grant 2,43 have been sanctioned and the balance 2,07 awaits sanction.

66. The increase in England (£1,3), was due to the cost of certain appeal cases having proved larger than was anticipated in the Budget Estimate.

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## 4.—Opium.

1904-5. Accounts.		Budget. ₹	1905-6. Revised. ₹	Accounts. ₹
Bengal—				
62	Behar Agency, Superintendence	57	55	59
5,29	" Opium Factory	5,75	4,50	5,21
5,50	" District Staff	5,60	5,24	5,27
82,68	" Payments to Cultivators	70,85	87,20	86,30
77	Benares Agency, Superintendence	84	76	77
4,61	" Opium Factory	5,18	4,27	4,73
8,06	" District Staff	8,52	8,20	8,21
1,86,63	" Payments to Cultivators	1,77,46	1,72,80	1,71,85
23	Other Charges	23	23	24
11	India	12	11	11
18	Bombay	26	33	32
2,94,72	TOTAL IN RUPEES	2,75,38	2,84,19	2,83,60
₹	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING	₹	₹	₹
1,964,8	ENGLAND	1,835,9	1,894,6	1,890,7
2,3		1,5	1,8	1,8
1,967,1	TOTAL INCLUDING ENGLAND	1,837,4	1,896,4	1,892,5

67. The Indian expenditure exceeded the Budget by 8,22, but fell short of the actuals of the previous year by 11,12. These variations were mainly connected with the outturn of the crop, which in the year under report amounted to 104,062 maunds, against 112,214 maunds estimated in the Budget, and 111,539 maunds, the actual production of the previous year. The *Payments to Cultivators*, which form the bulk of the charges, exceeded the Budget by 9,84 but fell off by 11,10 as compared with actuals of the previous year for both the Agencies taken together. The excess over the Budget occurred in the Behar Agency, (15,45) where the estimated expenditure was reduced in anticipation of a bad season; there was, on the other hand, a saving of 5,61 in the Benares Agency, due to a short crop. The decrease, as compared with the actuals of the previous year, followed the short outturn of crop. The saving, as compared with the Budget under *Opium Factory* (99), occurred chiefly under Freight (1,40) and Payments for Timber (21), counterbalanced by an excess under Manufacturing Establishment (72). The saving under *District Staff* (64) occurred chiefly under Rewards to Zilladars (15), Salaries (27), Establishment (9) and Supplies and Services (9). Increased ware-house rent accounts for the excess in Bombay under *Other Charges*. The excesses of 8,17 (Imperial) in Bengal and 6 (Imperial) in Bombay have been sanctioned.

## 5.—Salt.

		India.	Burma.	Eastern Bengal and Assam.	Bengal.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
Salaries, Establish- ment, and Con- tingencies.	Accounts . 1904-5 .	7,61	24	...	3,10	15,10	14,13	40,18
	Budget .	7,57	32	...	3,50	15,51	14,65	41,35
	Revised . 1905-6 .	7,30	30	7	3,34	15,43	14,50	40,94
	Accounts .	7,29	28	10	3,02	15,39	14,43	40,51
Manufacture and Excavation.	Accounts . 1904-5 .	2,75	...	...	...	...	...	2,75
	Budget .	3,83	...	...	...	...	...	3,83
	Revised . 1905-6 .	3,90	...	...	...	...	...	3,90
	Accounts .	3,75	...	...	...	...	...	3,75
Purchase and Freight.	Accounts . 1904-5 .	...	...	...	...	4,92	3,78	8,70
	Budget .	...	...	...	...	6,50	4,10	10,60
	Revised . 1905-6 .	...	...	...	...	6,46	4,15	10,61
	Accounts .	...	27	...	...	6,34	3,82	10,16
TOTAL IN RUPEES .	Accounts . 1904-5 .	10,36	24	...	3,10	20,02	17,91	51,63
	Budget .	11,40	32	...	3,50	22,01	18,75	55,98
	Revised . 1905-6 .	11,20	30	7	3,34	21,89	18,65	55,45
	Accounts .	11,04	28	10	3,02	21,73	18,25	54,42
					Total India, equivalent in Sterling.	England.	Total, includ- ing England.	
TOTAL IN STERLING	Accounts . 1904-5 .	...	...	...	₹ 344,2	₹ 9	₹ 345,1	
	Budget .	...	...	...	373,2	1	373,3	
	Revised . 1905-6 .	...	...	...	369,7	3	370,0	
	Accounts .	...	...	...	362,8	4	362,2	

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## 5.—Salt—concluded.

68. The Indian charges under this head shewed a saving of 1,56, as compared with the Budget, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 2,79. The saving, as compared with the Budget, was spread over all the heads and all the provinces, and occurred chiefly under *Salaries, Establishment and Contingencies* (1,04). In India (28) it was due to savings under Through Traffic charges, chiefly in the Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines (23) and Pachbadra (9), and under Preventive Establishment due to vacancies, absences on leave and smaller charges for temporary establishment; in Bengal including Eastern Bengal (38) to non-entertainment of the full complement of establishments, and to small charges under contingencies in saliferous districts; in Madras (12), to savings under Excise Licensees' Works (23), partly counterbalanced by an increase under establishment; and in Bombay (22) to the non-utilization of the provision for revision of the Sind Salt Department, low charges for commission on sale of salt and savings in salaries and allowances of Preventive Establishment, partly counterbalanced by increased bagging and sewing charges in the Presidency Salt Department. Under *Manufacture and Excavation* the saving occurred under manufacture of salt at Sambhar (8) and Pachbadra (13), partly counterbalanced by an excess under excavation charges (13). Under *Purchase and Freight* the savings in Madras (16) were due to a decrease in the charges for freight, &c., for export and import of salt (40) counterbalanced to the extent of 27 under purchase of salt and in Bombay (28) due to an over-estimate. The increase as compared with the previous year in India and Madras was due to large demands and a favourable manufacturing season, and in Bombay to high bagging charges. The excess of 10 (Imperial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam has been sanctioned, while that of 9 (Imperial) in Bengal over the reduced grant requires to be sanctioned.

## 6.—Stamps.

			India.	Central Prov- inces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Frontier Prov- ince.	Madras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
Superintend- ence, Establish- ments and Con- tingencies.	Accounts	1904-5	54	4	4	8	...	29	16	28	3	25	59	2,31
	Budget		70	4	5	27	...	11	17	28	4	27	72	2,65
	Revised		61	4	5	28	2	8	15	23	2	26	81	2,55
	Accounts	1905-6	62	4	5	27	2	9	15	19	2	26	84	2,55
Charges on sale of Stamps, in- cluding dis- count.	Accounts	1904-5	7	26	22	57	21	3,47	1,17	88	9	2,06	1,04	10,04
	Budget		8	25	21	57	22	3,43	1,18	94	10	2,01	1,05	10,01
	Revised		7	32	21	59	1,04	2,59	1,20	80	9	2,14	1,07	10,12
	Accounts	1905-6	8	32	23	59	1,10	2,72	1,23	86	10	2,13	1,04	10,40
Stamps sup- plied from Central Stores	Accounts	1904-5	-8,24	43	26	62	20	3,16	1,02	55	8	1,21	71	...
	Budget		-8,79	40	26	39	23	3,46	1,19	54	9	1,32	85	...
	Revised		-7,82	44	26	34	1,57	1,80	1,00	49	3	1,28	72	...
	Accounts	1905-6	-7,50	32	17	31	97	2,34	1,08	35	6	1,40	50	...
TOTAL IN RUPEES.	Accounts	1904-5	-7,63	73	52	1,27	41	6,92	2,35	1,71	20	3,53	2,34	18,35
	Budget		-8,01	75	52	1,23	45	7,00	2,54	1,76	23	3,60	2,62	12,60
	Revised		-7,14	80	52	1,21	2,63	4,47	2,44	1,32	14	3,08	2,60	12,67
	Accounts	1905-6	-6,80	68	45	1,17	2,09	5,15	2,46	1,40	18	3,79	2,38	12,95
										Total India, equivalent in Sterling.	England.	Total, including England.		
										£	£	£		
TOTAL IN STERLING	Accounts	1904-5								32,1	38,8	121,1		
	Budget									24,6	40,1	124,7		
	Revised									24,5	40,1	124,6		
	Accounts	1905-6								26,4	41,8	128,2		

69. The expenditure under this head exceeded the Budget by 26, and the actuals of the previous year by 60. The excess (26), as compared with the Budget is composed of an excess under *Charges on sale of Stamps, including discount* (36), and a saving under *Superintendence, etc.* (10). The excess occurred mainly in the Central Provinces (7), Eastern Bengal (12), United Provinces (5), and Madras (12), and was due generally to large sales of stamps which necessitated heavy payments of discount, partly counterbalanced by a saving in the Punjab (8), due to the declining sale of general stamps, and abolition of receipt stamps from 1st October 1905. The saving under *Superintendence, etc.*, chiefly occurred in India (8), and the Punjab (9). Non-utilization of the provision for increase of establishment of the office of the Controller of Stamps and Stationery, combined with reduced charges for landing freight and packing, accounts for the saving in the former, while short contingent expenditure chiefly explains that in the latter. There was on the other hand an increase of 12 in Bombay which was due to the provision for the new stamp Depot at Karachi having proved insufficient, owing to heavy packing charges and other contingent expenditure. The excesses of 83 (Imperial) and 81 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam 5 (Provincial) in Bengal, and 9 (Provincial) in Madras have been sanctioned, while those of 1,21 (Imperial) in India, 33 (Imperial) in Bengal and 9 (Imperial) in Madras await sanction.

70. The excess in England was in the demand for stores.

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## 7.—Excise.

1904-5. Accounts.		Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
R	CHARGES OF COLLECTION—	R	R	R
31	India . . . . .	42	53	55
54	Central Provinces . . . . .	1,10	1,00	96
22	Berar . . . . .	50	50	50
10,24	Burma . . . . .	11,30	10,68	10,75
38	E. B. and Assam . . . . .	55	1,15	1,09
8,19	Bengal . . . . .	8,63	7,70	7,65
93	United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	1,08	1,00	94
64	Punjab . . . . .	75	77	78
7	N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	8	8	8
10,60	Madras . . . . .	10,11	10,22	10,21
4,70	Bombay . . . . .	5,75	5,12	5,21
36,22	TOTAL IN RUPEES . . . . .	40,27	38,76	38,72
£		£	£	£
241,5	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING . . . . .	268,5	258,4	258,1
8	ENGLAND . . . . .	1	1	...
242,3	TOTAL INCLUDING ENGLAND . . . . .	268,6	258,5	25,81

71. The charges in India under this head showed a saving of 1,55, as compared with the Budget, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 2,50. The saving as compared with the Budget, was due in the Central Provinces (14), and Bombay (54), to only partial utilization of the provisions for revision of establishments. In Burma (55), the saving was due to non-utilization of the provision for additional establishments, and to less charges for supplies and services, rewards in opium cases, and secret service and for contingencies, partly counterbalanced by an excess due to the creation of a new Central Controlling office and to increased charges under allowances. In Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal (44), it occurred under salaries and contingencies, counterbalanced by an excess under temporary establishment. In the United Provinces (14), it was due to the partial utilization of the provision for reforms in distilleries, and savings under rewards and salaries of Sub-inspectors. These savings were partly counterbalanced by excesses in India (13), due to an under-estimate of the charges on account of Mr. Todhunter's deputation for enquiry into excise arrangements in Central India, and in Madras (10), due to additions to the preventive and customs establishments. The excess as compared with the actuals of the previous year was chiefly on account of improvements in Excise Administration. The excesses of 31 (Imperial) and 24 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam, 2 (Imperial) and 1 (Provincial) in the Punjab and 2 (Provincial) in Madras have been sanctioned, while those of 13 (Imperial) in India, 8 (Imperial) and 2 (Provincial) in Madras await sanction.

## 8.—Provincial Rates.

1904-5. Accounts.		Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
R	ESTABLISHMENTS AND OTHER CHARGES—	R	R	R
60	Burma . . . . .	85	80	74
3	E. B. and Assam . . . . .	5	67	59
4,30	Bengal . . . . .	4,42	3,80	3,77
1	United Provinces of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	...	...	...
56	Bombay . . . . .	54	47	48
5,50	TOTAL IN RUPEES . . . . .	5,86	5,74	5,58
£		£	£	£
36,6	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING . . . . .	39,1	38,3	37,2

72. The charges under this head fell short of the Budget by 38, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 8. The saving in Burma (11) was due to a large decrease in the payment of commission on collection of cesses in consequence of a considerable fallingoff in land revenue, partly counterbalanced by the disbursement of commission earned late in the previous year; in Bombay (6) due to small payments of remuneration charges for collecting the local cess on account of decrease in revenue; in Bengal the saving was spread over several heads. Out of the excess of 54 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam 52 was sanctioned and the balance 2 requires to be sanctioned.

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## 9.—Customs.

		Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
Charges at the principal Ports of Rangoon, Calcutta, Madras, Bombay.	Accounts . 1904-5	3.05	...	9.48	1.43	8.43	22.39
	Budget .	3.20	...	10.35	1.46	8.56	23.57
	Revised .	3.08	...	9.85	1.43	8.57	22.93
	Accounts .	3.09	...	9.83	1.40	8.58	22.90
Charges at other Ports.	Accounts . 1904-5	90	...	55	1.31	1.68	4.44
	Budget .	96	...	65	1.32	1.81	4.74
	Revised .	92	18	32	1.34	1.69	4.45
	Accounts .	91	17	31	1.33	1.68	4.40
TOTAL IN RUPEES	Accounts . 1904-5	3.95	...	10.03	2.74	10.11	26.83
	Budget .	4.16	...	11.00	2.78	10.37	28.31
	Revised .	4.00	18	10.17	2.76	10.26	27.37
	Accounts .	4.00	17	10.14	2.73	10.26	27.30
					Total India, equivalent in Sterling.	England.	Total, including England.
					£	£	£
TOTAL IN STERLING	Accounts . 1904-5	.	.	.	178.9	4	179.3
	Budget .	.	.	.	188.7	2	188.9
	Revised .	.	.	.	182.4	3	182.7
	Accounts .	.	.	.	182.0	5	182.5

73. The Indian expenditure showed a saving of 1.01 as compared with the Budget, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 47. The saving was chiefly due to non-utilization of the provision for revision of establishments. Under *Charges at the Principal Ports*, the saving in Burma (11), occurred under salaries and supplies and services; that in Bengal (52), occurred under Collector's Establishments (73), due chiefly to the non-utilization of the provision for increase of pay, under Appraising Establishment (6), and Contingencies (7), counterbalanced by excesses under Preventive Establishment (15), Allowances (15), owing to the revision of the preventive establishment at the close of the year and under supplies and services (7); and that in Madras (6), was the result of the change of office hours reducing the fees to clerks working out of office hours, and to the non-utilization of the provision for temporary tide-waiters. Under *Charges at other Ports* there was a decrease in Bombay (13), due to the non-utilization of the provision for the revision of establishment in Sind, and of 17 in Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal due to provision for purchase of Preventive Service boats for the Port of Chittagong not having been used. The excess of 17 (Imperial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam has been sanctioned.

74. The excess of £3 in England occurred under stores.

## 10.—Assessed Taxes.

1904-5. Accounts.		Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
₹		₹	₹	₹
2	India . . . . .	1	1	1
6	Berar . . . . .	12	14	11
35	Burma . . . . .	36	36	37
1	E. B. and Assam . . . . .	2	12	13
1,56	Bengal . . . . .	1,58	1,52	1,55
13	Punjab . . . . .	15	11	11
1	N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	1	1	1
29	Madras . . . . .	31	32	33
78	Bombay . . . . .	81	80	77
3,21	TOTAL IN RUPEES . . . . .	3,38	3,39	3,39
£		£	£	£
21.4	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING . . . . .	22.5	22.6	22.6

## Section A.—DIRECT DEMANDS ON THE REVENUES—continued.

## 10.—Assessed Taxes—concluded.

75. The charges under this head almost agreed with the Budget, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 18. The increase in Eastern Bengal and Assam and Bengal occurred in Bengal proper, and was due to too large a deduction for probable savings. The saving in the Punjab was due to no officer having been placed on special duty in connection with the assessment of income tax, and that in Bombay to the provision for the revision of establishment not having been fully used. The excesses of 8 (Imperial) and 2 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam, 1 (Provincial) in Burma, and 2 (Imperial) in Bengal have been sanctioned while the excess of 2 (Provincial) in Berar, and 2 (Imperial) in Bengal require to be sanctioned. Out of the excess of 2 (Imperial) in Madras 1 has been sanctioned and 1 awaits sanction.

## 11.—Forest.

		India.	Central Prov- inces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Pro- vinc- es.	Madras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
General Direction	Accounts . . . . .	1904-5	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82
	Budget . . . . .	1904-5	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82
	Revised . . . . .	1905-6	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82
	Accounts . . . . .	1905-6	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82
Conservancy and Works—													
Timber and other produce re- moved from the Forests by Government Agency.	Accounts . . . . .	1904-5	1,84	2,02	9	11,30	1,01	93	2,52	4,01	33	4,14	33,77
	Budget . . . . .	1904-5	2,83	1,75	10	10,90	1,33	1,23	2,93	4,22	31	4,53	34,40
	Revised . . . . .	1905-6	1,64	1,24	9	11,53	1,64	74	2,48	3,84	30	4,39	34,00
	Accounts . . . . .	1905-6	1,70	1,04	10	15,38	1,48	60	2,45	3,94	31	5,12	37,25
Timber and other produce re- moved from the Forests by consumers or purchasers.	Accounts . . . . .	1904-5	...	80	28	41	7	82	37	...	...	1,17	4,16
	Budget . . . . .	1904-5	...	90	27	51	6	76	38	...	...	1,23	4,64
	Revised . . . . .	1905-6	...	82	30	55	13	82	37	...	...	1,23	5,42
	Accounts . . . . .	1905-6	...	90	30	54	...	90	38	...	...	1,19	5,48
Other Charges	Accounts . . . . .	1904-5	2,03	1,82	71	10,23	1,87	1,78	6,57	2,70	15	5,67	37,69
	Budget . . . . .	1904-5	1,32	2,41	76	13,90	1,86	2,12	5,28	2,91	25	7,35	41,41
	Revised . . . . .	1905-6	1,91	2,20	74	13,02	2,18	1,69	6,34	5,56	32	7,08	45,25
	Accounts . . . . .	1905-6	2,22	2,26	70	10,70	1,83	1,40	6,78	5,31	34	6,93	43,40
Establishment	Accounts . . . . .	1904-5	1,70	5,96	1,47	12,44	2,09	3,35	4,46	3,41	27	8,88	53,94
	Budget . . . . .	1904-5	2,24	6,41	1,62	13,08	2,21	3,54	4,53	3,55	34	8,89	57,43
	Revised . . . . .	1905-6	2,38	6,44	1,45	12,78	2,55	3,05	4,48	3,38	33	9,30	56,14
	Accounts . . . . .	1905-6	1,95	6,32	1,45	12,76	2,51	3,04	4,44	3,38	30	9,43	55,55
Lumpsum provision	Budget . . . . .	1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
TOTAL IN RO- PES.	Accounts . . . . .	1904-5	6,39	10,66	2,55	34,47	5,04	6,88	13,92	10,12	75	19,86	1,20,68
	Budget . . . . .	1904-5	7,21	11,50	2,75	38,00	5,46	7,64	15,14	10,70	90	22,02	1,38,72
	Revised . . . . .	1905-6	6,25	10,70	2,55	38,00	6,50	6,30	13,67	11,80	95	22,00	1,41,75
	Accounts . . . . .	1905-6	6,69	10,51	2,55	39,38	5,94	5,94	14,05	12,64	95	22,67	1,48,59

			Total India, equiv- alent in Ster- ling.	England.	Total, including England.
TOTAL IN STERLING	Accounts . . . . .	1904-5	804,5	4,6	809,1
	Budget . . . . .	1904-5	924,8	1,7	926,5
	Revised . . . . .	1905-6	945,0	4,4	949,4
	Accounts . . . . .	1905-6	950,6	4,2	954,8

Excess over Grant	Budget	Imperial	...	...	...	69	52	...	68	97	5	49	94	4,34
		Provincial	...	...	...	69	...	...	23	97	...	16	93	1,08
Excess sanctioned by Imperial Government	Imperial	Imperial	...	...	...	...	52	...	—5	97	5	...	94	2,43
		Provincial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	...	...	93	1,00
Excess sanctioned by Local Government	Provincial	Imperial	...	...	...	69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69
		Provincial	...	...	...	69	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	85
Excess awaiting sanction of the Imperial Government	Imperial	Imperial	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	...	...	49	...	1,22
		Provincial	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	23



Section A—DIRECT DEMANDS ON THE REVENUES—*continued.*II.—Forest—*continued.*

76. The Indian expenditure under this head exceeded the Budget Estimate, and the actuals of the previous year by 3,87 and 12,91, respectively. As compared with the Budget the excess occurred chiefly in Burma (1,38), the Punjab (1,94) and Bombay (1,86). The excess in Burma was due to large extractions of timber by Government Agency in the Pegu Circle, the expansion of sleeper operations in the Pyinmana Division, and to payments to contractors for timber extracted in the previous year; that in the Punjab, to a larger payment than provided for to the Chamba State, as the profits on working its forests in 1904-5, and that in Bombay mainly to famine grass operations. As compared with the actuals of the previous year the excess was contributed chiefly by Burma (4,91), the Punjab (2,52), Bombay (2,22), and Madras (2,81). In the case of the first three provinces the causes stated above also account for the increase over the previous year; in Madras the excess was due to the extension of the departmental system of exploitation, and to large supplies of timber and firewood to Railways, mills and the public.

77. Under *Timber and other produce removed from the Forests by Government Agency*, the excess in Burma (4,48), was due to the causes stated above; ■ Madras (59) to increased departmental operations, and in Bombay (85) to famine grass operations. Against these excesses there were savings in the other provinces; that in India (1,13) was due mainly to small extractions and small exports of timber in the Andamans Division, partly counterbalanced by an excess due to survey charges shown under this head having been provided for under *Establishment*; that in the Central Provinces (71) to the cessation of departmental operations in the Balaghat, Bhandara and North and South Chanda Divisions; that in Eastern Bengal and Assam together with Bengal proper (47), was due mainly to a decrease of 19 in Assam, owing to small sleeper operations, and of 24 in Bengal proper owing to the closing of the Teesta Valley road which stopped the cutting of sleepers, and to the abandonment of departmental operations; and that in the United Provinces (48), to the late arrival in the Western Circle of Kangra sawyers whose homes were wrecked by the earthquake, and to a decrease in the export of sleepers (72), counterbalanced to the extent of 23, by extended fuel, turpentine and colophony operations in the Naini Tal Division, and by the export of baled grass and hay to the famine-stricken areas from the Bundelkhand Division. Under *Timber and other produce removed from the Forests by consumers or purchasers*, the excess in Bengal proper (20), occurred chiefly in the Sunderbands Division, due to extensive repairs to steam launch "Swan" and to a large consumption of coal; there was also an excess of 3 in Assam which was covered by a saving in Eastern Bengal. The excess in Bombay (64), was due chiefly to grass operations. Under *Other Charges* the excess in India (90), occurred mainly in the Andamans Division, and was due chiefly to the purchase and feed of 7 elephants, and to heavy expenses connected with the construction of the steam timber boat "Rosamond"; in the United Provinces (1,59), it was due mainly to the share of profits on account of leased Deodar forests for 1904-5, payable to the Raja of Tehri, having exceeded the estimate. The excess was partly foreseen in the Revised; in the Punjab (2,40) it was due to the payment to the Chamba State as noted above, and for which the Government of India sanctioned an extra grant; in the North-West Frontier Province (9) to payment for trees cut in 1904-5, and in Bombay (80), chiefly to the payment of 20 per cent. of the net sale-proceeds of mālki trees to owners in the Thana District, and to the large supply of sleepers and fuel for Railway purposes. These excesses were partly counterbalanced by savings in the Central Provinces (18), due to short outlay on repairs and construction, owing partly to dearth of labour and partly to plans not having been ready; in Berar (6) to the transfer of survey charges to the Topographical Survey of India; in Burma (2,20) to less expenditure on surveys, working plans, roads, buildings and demarcation, partly for the want of labour, and partly on account of paucity of officers for supervision, and to small purchase of elephants, partly counterbalanced by extensive drift operations, and by an extension of fire-protection in the Tenasserim Circle; in Eastern Bengal and Assam taken with Bengal there was a saving of 75 of which 43 occurred in Assam, due to small outlay on fire-protection, professional surveys and purchase of elephants, and to small payment to the Manipur State, owing to diminished revenue from its forests, and 36 in Bengal proper due chiefly to the provisions for construction of a new steam launch, purchase of boats and surveys in the Sunderbands Division, not having been used and to short sowing and planting in the Darjeeling Division for want of seedlings. There was a small excess of 4 in Eastern Bengal, while that in Madras (42), occurred chiefly under communication, and buildings and demarcation. Under *Establishment* the saving was contributed by all the provinces except Madras, where there was an excess of 54, due to the retention throughout the year of the Forest Settlement Officers and their establishments, against a provision for seven months, to the entertainment of additional establishments chiefly in the Northern Circle, to the absence of fewer officers on leave to Europe than anticipated, and to the establishment of the new Forest Training School at Coimbatore. The saving in India (29), was mainly due to the provision under this head for survey charges shown under *Timber and other produce removed from the Forests by Government Agency* as stated above (31), and low expenditure in the Andamans and Baluchistan under subordinate establishment (9), partly counterbalanced by an excess due to the higher rate of pay drawn by the Director of the Forest School, and high travelling expenses (5).



## Section A.—DIRECT DEMANDS ON THE REVENUES—concluded.

## 11.—Forest—concluded.

and to deputation and special allowances in Coorg (6); in the Central Provinces (9) to the subordinate staff being below its strength, and to short expenditure on travelling, contingencies and tour charges; in Berar (17) to low expenditure under salaries, subordinate depot establishment and travelling; in Burma (92) to the full complement of officers and establishment not having been entertained throughout the year, to officers of the Provincial Forest Service having been on duty instead of officers of the Imperial Forest Service, to the provision for additional establishment in Pegu Circle, not having been utilized, and to small outlay on travelling, partly counterbalanced by the creation of the appointment of a Chief Conservator for Burma; in Eastern Bengal (3), and Assam (9) and Bengal (7) due to absence of officers, deputations and vacancies; in the United Provinces (11), to a decrease under salaries of Conservators, consequent on the reconstitution of circles, and to two Assistant Conservatorships having remained vacant for the greater part of the year; in the Punjab (17), chiefly under salaries and travelling allowances; and in Bombay (43), due to the provision for the revision of establishments not having been fully utilized.

78. The excess in England £2,5 was due partly to charges in connection with the Continental Tour of Students and the transfer of the Forest Students from Cooper's Hill to Oxford (£1,9) and partly to the high demand for stores (£6).

## 12.—Registration.

		India.	Central Provinces	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.W. Frontier Province.	Madras.	Bombay.	TOTAL.
Superintendence.	Accounts 1904-5	...	11	3	...	...	35	10	...	...	43	9	1,31
	Budget	...	11	3	...	...	56	12	...	...	41	24	1,47
	Revised	...	12	3	...	5	52	10	...	...	41	24	1,47
	Accounts 1905-6	...	11	3	...	5	51	11	...	...	39	23	1,43
District Charges.	Accounts 1904-5	6	41	44	58	39	9,16	2,20	94	9	8,80	2,76	25,83
	Budget	6	46	45	64	40	9,40	2,28	1,06	9	9,05	2,86	26,25
	Revised	6	43	44	65	2,00	7,65	2,32	96	8	9,05	2,80	26,53
	Accounts 1905-6	6	45	45	64	1,96	7,80	2,36	97	7	9,09	2,86	26,71
TOTAL IN RUPEES	Accounts 1904-5	6	52	47	58	39	9,71	2,30	94	9	9,23	2,85	27,14
	Budget	6	57	48	64	40	9,96	2,40	1,06	9	9,46	3,10	28,22
	Revised	6	55	47	65	2,14	8,17	2,42	96	8	9,46	3,04	28,00
	Accounts 1905-6	6	56	48	64	2,01	8,31	2,47	97	7	9,48	3,09	28,14
TOTAL IN STRAIGHT LIND.	Accounts 1904-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	180,9
	Budget	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	188,1
	Revised	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	186,7
	Accounts 1905-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	187,6

79. The total charges under this head fell short of the Budget by 8, but exceeded the actuals of the previous year by 1,00. The saving as compared with the Budget, occurred in the Eastern Bengal districts (5), and the Punjab (9), and was due to the provision for re-organization of the Department in the former, and that for the revised scheme of remuneration to Sub-Registrars in the latter, not having been utilized; partly counterbalanced by increases in Bengal proper (7), under Rural Sub-Registrars, and in Assam (3), and United Provinces (8), under salaries and commission to Sub-Registrars. As compared with the previous year, the increase in Madras was due to the formation of a new district and opening of additional Sub-Registry Offices, and that in Bombay to increased commission charges and to the transfer to this head the charges for the Offices of Inspectors of Registration from 18—General Administration. The excesses of 2 (Imperial) and 1,59 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam, 8 (Provincial) in Bengal, (Provincial) in the United Provinces and 1 (Provincial) in Madras have been sanctioned, while 1 (Imperial) India and 5 (Imperial) in the United Provinces require to be sanctioned.

## Section B.—INTEREST.

1904-5. Accounts. R		Budget. R	1905-6. Revised. R	Accounts. R
1,03,37	RECEIPTS:— India (Rupee figures)	1,07,61	1,06,29	1,06,07
£		£	£	£
689,1	Equivalent in Sterling	717,4	708,6	707,1
160,5	England	88,0	236,5	237,9
849,6	TOTAL	805,4	945,1	945,0

80. The receipts in this section exceeded the Budget by £139,6 or R20,94, and the actuals of the previous year by £95,4 or R14,31. The increase, as compared with the Budget, is composed of an excess of £149,9 or R22,48 in England, due chiefly to the investment of larger sums and at a higher rate of interest than was anticipated, and a decline of £10,3 or R1,54 in India mainly under Interest on Loans to Native States (£7,3 or R1,09) caused by short recoveries of interest on loans to certain Native States; under Interest on Advances to cultivators (£10,4 or R1,56) chiefly in Bengal, due mainly to a small takavi advance, and to short recoveries on account of the Rajapur drainage advances, and in Bombay to low recoveries from cultivators due to an unfavourable season; and under Interest on Overdrawn Capital of Railway Companies in India, caused chiefly by short overdrawals by the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway, partly counterbalanced by an increase under Interest on Loans to Presidency Corporations (£6,0 or R91) in Madras, resulting from the revision of arrangements for the payment of interest on loans to the Harbour Trust Board, and under Interest on Loans to Railway Companies in India (£4,3 or R64), due to the adjustment of interest on the advances to Kalka-Simla Railway Company on the line having been taken over by Government.

81. The increase, as compared with the actuals of the previous year, occurred in England in the investment of cash balance.

## XII.—Interest.

		India.	Central Pro- vinces.	Bihar	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Frontier Province.	Madras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
On Loans to Native States.	Accounts 1904-5	10,27	...	...	...	...	7	...	40	...	...	45	11,19
	Budget	11,28	...	...	...	...	4	...	61	...	...	47	12,40
	Revised	10,91	...	...	...	...	2	...	60	...	...	1,02	12,55
	Accounts 1905-6	9,89	...	...	...	...	2	...	60	...	...	80	11,31
Do. to Presi- dency Cor- porations.	Accounts 1904-5	...	...	...	...	...	13,83	...	...	...	2,24	13,38	29,45
	Budget	...	...	...	...	...	13,55	...	...	...	2,57	13,30	29,42
	Revised	...	...	...	...	...	13,55	...	...	...	3,47	13,31	30,33
	Accounts 1905-6	...	...	...	...	...	13,55	...	...	...	3,47	13,31	30,33
Do. to Municip- al and other Public Cor- porations.	Accounts 1904-5	19	42	...	13	1	1,50	2,99	1,83	1	64	1,34	9,06
	Budget	18	36	...	26	1	1,60	3,35	1,89	1	77	1,42	9,88
	Revised	53	36	...	13	8	1,42	3,34	1,90	1	73	1,24	9,74
	Accounts 1905-6	53	36	...	13	9	1,48	3,52	1,90	1	73	1,22	9,97
On loans to Landholders and other Notabilities.	Accounts 1904-5	13	...	...	...	...	1	20	2	1	2	6	45
	Budget	5	...	...	...	...	1	19	2	1	1	9	38
	Revised	7	...	...	...	...	8	17	3	1	3	1	40
	Accounts 1905-6	2	...	...	...	...	6	18	...	1	4	2	33
On Advances to Cultivators and Advances under Special Laws	Accounts 1904-5	10	34	16	36	2	74	25	83	8	1,56	3,51	7,95
	Budget	7	31	18	24	2	1,15	52	77	6	1,51	3,92	8,75
	Revised	7	31	16	30	2	86	37	76	7	1,51	2,52	7,04
	Accounts 1905-6	5	28	14	43	3	55	31	84	7	1,48	2,97	7,19

## Section B.—INTEREST—continued.

## XII.—Interest—continued.

			India.	Central Provinces.	Berar.	Burma.	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	N.-W. Pro- vince and Feroz- pore.	Madras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
On Loans to Railway Companies in India (Kalka- Simla Rail- way).	Accounts	1904-5	1.91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.91
	Budget		4.54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.54
	Revised		4.75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.75
	Accounts	1905-6	5.10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5.10
On Regimental Loans and Advances.	Accounts	1904-5	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
	Budget		29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29
	Revised		26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
	Accounts	1905-6	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28
On Currency Investment.	Accounts	1904-5	34.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34.70
	Budget		34.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34.70
	Revised		34.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34.70
	Accounts	1905-6	34.70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34.70
On Securities of Provincial Funds.	Accounts	1904-5	2	4	4	...	1	15	26	2	...	66	25	105
	Budget		2	4	...	...	1	15	25	2	...	77	26	108
	Revised		2	3	3	...	8	12	20	2	...	69	26	101
	Accounts	1905-6	3	4	3	...	4	12	27	2	...	78	25	108
On Overdrawn Capital of Rail- way Companies in India.	Accounts	1904-5	4.96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.96
	Budget		3.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.72
	Revised		2.80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.80
	Accounts	1905-6	3.03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.03
Other Items	Accounts	1904-5	8	...	1	...	...	90	...	14	...	26	5	144
	Budget		3	...	2	...	...	69	...	21	...	34	6	133
	Revised		36	...	1	...	2	80	...	10	...	30	4	171
	Accounts	1905-6	26	...	2	...	3	81	...	10	...	40	7	169
TOTAL IN IN- DIAN RUPEES.	Accounts	1904-5	52.67	80	21	49	4	17.20	3.70	3.24	10	5.38	19.54	103.37
	Budget		54.46	74	20	50	4	17.39	4.31	3.52	8	5.97	20.00	107.61
	Revised		54.47	70	20	51	20	16.91	4.14	3.41	9	6.73	18.92	106.29
	Accounts	1905-6	53.93	68	19	56	19	16.59	4.28	3.50	9	6.90	19.14	106.07

				Total India, equivalent in £	England.	Total, includ- ing England.
				£	£	£
TOTAL IN STER- LING.	{	Accounts	1904-05	689.1	160.5	849.6
		Budget		717.4	88.0	805.4
		Revised		708.6	236.5	945.1
		Accounts	1905-06	707.1	237.9	945.0

82. The Indian receipts under this head arise mainly out of the paper currency investment, and loans granted to Municipalities and other public bodies, Native States, and cultivators. No alteration was made in the amount of the first during the year.

83. The following statement shows the balances of the different kinds of loans during the last five years:—

	31st March 1900.	31st March 1903.	31st March 1904.	31st March 1905.	31st March 1906.
IMPERIAL ADVANCES AND LOAN ACCOUNT.					
Native States	5,46,46	5,03,89	4,85,34	4,53,26	4,02,92
Presidency Corporations, including Port Trusts	7,41,12	7,34,05	7,34,60	7,26,47	7,26,29
Mofussil Municipalities	3.97	4.60	4.27	3.91	3.32
Railway Companies	...	50.50	95.50	1,09.78	...
Landholders and others	2.29	2.32	2.24	1.94	1.79
District and Local Fund Committees	9.59	9.52	9.39	9.19	8.85
Regimental and other Loans, Military	6.75	6.17	7.16	8.00	8.50
Hyderabad Contingent	...	3	2	...	...
Advances to Cultivators	7.57	10.64	8.33	7.41	8.72
TOTAL	13,17,70	13,19,92	13,36,85	13,19,96	11,60,19

## Section B.—INTEREST—continued.

## XII.—Interest—concluded.

	31st March 1902.	31st March 1903.	31st March 1904.	31st March 1905.	31st March 1906.
PROVINCIAL ADVANCES AND LOAN ACCOUNT.					
Mofussil Municipalities . . . . .	1,89,76	1,96,48	1,99,33	2,04,18	2,12,18
Port Funds . . . . .	19,12	18,52	16,44	15,75	14,81
District and Local Fund Committees . . . . .	9,45	8,46	8,07	7,37	11,59
Landholders and others . . . . .	14,02	13,54	11,62	9,21	11,18
Advances under Special Laws . . . . .	18,15	16,68	14,72	16,81	24,44
Advances to Cultivators . . . . .	3,34,45	3,16,14	2,48,98	2,39,43	2,52,41
<b>TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>5,81,95</b>	<b>5,69,82</b>	<b>4,99,06</b>	<b>4,82,75</b>	<b>5,26,61</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> . . . . .	<b>19,00,65</b>	<b>18,89,74</b>	<b>18,35,91</b>	<b>18,02,71</b>	<b>16,86,80</b>
Interest received . . . . .	63,60	66,64	71,13	60,13	64,38
Percentage reckoned on balance at end of year . . . . .	3.346	3.516	3.874	3.335	3.816

84. The interest paid in 1905-6 by Local Governments to the Government of India on account of Loans held on the Provincial account amounted to Rs 17,25 or £115.0, while the actual sum realized and credited to the Provincial revenues amounted, in the aggregate, to Rs 16,64 or £110.9.

85. The actuals under *Interest on Loans to Native States* showed a decline of 1.09 compared with the Budget, which is mainly composed of a fall of 1.39 in India and a rise of 33 in Bombay. The fall in India was attributed chiefly to the non-recovery from Tonk (37), Kotah (33), Jaora (14), Bundi (7), Bhumia Chiefs (8) and Kishengarh States (5) and short recoveries from the Banswara (9) and Jhabua States (11); while the rise in Bombay was due to large recoveries.

86. The increase under *Interest on Loans to Presidency Corporations* was almost entirely contributed by Madras (90), and was caused by revision of arrangements for re-payment of loan due by the Harbour Trust Board, whereby interest is payable every month from 15th September 1905, instead of once a year, so that eighteen months' interest was paid in 1905-6 as against twelve months provided for in the Budget.

87. Under *Interest on Loans to Municipal and Other Public Corporations* the excess receipt in India (35) was on account of Cantonment Committee, Secunderabad for which there was no provision in the Budget. The deficiency in the Central Provinces (3) was due to the advance payment of instalments in 1904-5 by the Khandwa Municipality. The decline in Burma (13) was chiefly caused by the loans provided for several municipalities not having been taken up. The increase in the United Provinces (17) was due to the payment on 31st March 1906 by the Meerut and Nainital Municipalities, of the instalments due on the 1st April following. The fall in Bombay (20) was caused by the repayment of certain loans by municipalities in advance of due dates.

88. The excess and deficiency in Bengal (5) and Bombay (7) respectively under *Interest on Loans to Land-holders and Other Notabilities* were due, in the former to the realization of interest on loan to the Nowada State, for which there was no provision in the Budget, and in the latter, chiefly to the repayment of loan by the Jath State earlier than was expected. Under *Interest on Advances to Cultivators* the decline was contributed by almost all the provinces, but chiefly by Bengal (60), due mainly to short realization of interest from cultivators (12) on takavi and on Rajapur drainage advances (43); by United Provinces (21) to short receipt of interest on advances under the Bundelkhand Encumbered Estates' Act; and by Bombay (95) to reduced recoveries from cultivators in consequence of an unfavourable season. On the other hand there were increases in Burma (19) and the Punjab (11) due to under-estimates.

89. *Interest on Loans to Railway Companies in India* represents interest on advances to the Kalka-Simla Railway Company which has become the property of Government since 1st January 1906.

90. The actual overdrawals of Guaranteed and other Railway Companies fell below expectations resulting in a decline of 43 under the former, chiefly Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway and of 26 in the latter.

91. Under *Other Items*, the increase in India (23) was chiefly on account of interest on a special advance of 30 lakhs to the Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, in February 1906 repaid in the following month; while that in Madras (6) was caused by the increase in interest on arrears of Revenue (4), and on the balance due for the purchase money of waste lands (2). On the other hand the decline in Bengal (8) was mainly on account of arrears of Road and Public Works Cesses; while that in the Punjab (11) was due to short receipts on account of interest on the unpaid portion of the purchase money of waste lands in the Chenab Colony.

92. In England the increase (£149.9) was due to the sums available for investment being much larger and the rate of interest obtained higher, than was estimated (£159.4), partly counterbalanced by a decrease (£9.5) caused by the paper currency investment being made at a later date than anticipated.

## Section B.—INTEREST.

1904-5. Accounts. R	EXPENDITURE—	Budget. R	1905-6. Revised. R	Accounts R
—2,09,73	India (Rupee figures) . . .	—2,34,45	—2,34,82	—2,36,02
6		6	6	6
—1,398,2	Equivalent in Sterling . . .	—1,563,0	—1,565,5	—1,573,5
3,045,1	England . . . . .	2,927,9	2,983,3	2,983,4
1,646,9	TOTAL . . . . .	1,364,9	1,417,8	1,409,9

93. The total charges in this section exceeded the Budget by £45,0 or R6,75, but was less than the actuals of the previous year by £237,0 or R35,55. The excess as compared with the Budget, occurred mainly in England, and was due partly to the absence of provision for discount on the issue of £2,000,0 India Stock (£47,5), and partly to a decrease in the amount estimated to be transferred to Railway Revenue Account (£5,6). In India there was a saving of £10,5 or R1,57 chiefly in interest on Savings Bank Deposits caused by large withdrawals from Post Office Savings Banks on account of famine, and by short deposits in the State Railway Provident Institutions, and in the interest on 3½ per cent. loans due to unclaimed interest, reduced by an excess in the discount on the 3½ per cent. Rupee Loan of 400 lakhs raised in this year (£21,5 or R3,22).

94. As compared with the actuals of the previous year the decrease in England (£68,7) was chiefly in discount. The interest charge of the year on loans in India was greater by £74,2 or R11,12 mainly on 3½ per cent. loans and discount. The transfer of interest to Railway Revenue and Irrigation Accounts was however more by £259,2 or R38,88 and produced the apparent savings.

## 13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt.

95. The following figures give the particulars of loans raised or discharged during the years 1904-5 and 1905-6:—

1904-5. Accounts. £		Budget. £	1905-6. Revised. £	Accounts. £
PERMANENT DEBT.				
INDIA—				
2,000,0	Debt incurred . . . . .	2,666,7	2,666,7	2,666,7
84,3	Debt discharged . . . . .	143,3	141,1	144,5
+ 1,915,7	NET IN INDIA . . . . .	+ 2,523,4	+ 2,525,6	+ 2,522,2
ENGLAND—				
Debt incurred—				
2,500,0	India Stock . . . . .	2,000,0	2,000,0	2,000,0
...	Bombay, Baroda and Central India Debentures . . . . .	2,927,4	12,480,4	12,480,4
2,500,0		4,927,4	14,480,4	14,480,4
Debt discharged—				
1,002,1	Great Indian Peninsula Railway Debentures . . . . .	250,0	250,0	250,0
1	India 4 per cent. Stock . . . . .	...	1	1
1,002,2		250,0	250,1	250,1
+ 1,497,8	NET IN ENGLAND . . . . .	+ 4,677,4	+ 14,230,3	+ 14,230,3
+ 3,413,5	NET IN INDIA AND ENGLAND . . . . .	+ 7,200,8	+ 16,755,9	+ 16,752,5

## Section B.—INTEREST—continued.

## 13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt—continued.

1904-5. Accounts.		Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
TEMPORARY DEBT.				
INDIA—				
...	Debt incurred . . . . .	...	466.7	466.7
333.3	Debt discharged . . . . .	...	466.7	466.7
—333.3	NET IN INDIA . . . . .	...	...	...
ENGLAND—				
500.0	Temporary Loans incurred . . . . .	...	...	...
2,000.0	Temporary Loans discharged . . . . .	500.0	500.0	500.0
—1,500.0	NET IN ENGLAND . . . . .	—500.0	—500.0	—500.0
—1,833.3	NET IN INDIA AND ENGLAND . . . . .	—500.0	—500.0	—500.0

96. As announced in the Financial Statement a  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. Rupee Loan of 400 lakhs was raised in July 1905 at an average rate of 298-13-10.45. Of the balance of loans previously notified for discharge 9.68 was paid consisting of 3, 1.24 and 13 of the  $4\frac{1}{2}$ , 4 and  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. Loans respectively, and 8.28 of the Provincial Debenture Loans. And of the loans bearing interest, 12.00 was paid on account of the Gwalior loan in accordance with the terms of agreement with the Durbar. The Secretary of State's heavy drawings rendered it necessary to procure a temporary loan of 70 lakhs from the Maharaja Scindia of Gwalior to strengthen the stock of coined silver. It was discharged in the course of the year.

97. In England, the Budget Estimate provided for the discharge of the residue (£500.0) of the Temporary Sterling Debt and for an addition of £2,000.0 to the sterling debt, for the purchase of the Bengal Central Railway (£500.0), for the discharge of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Debentures £250.0, and for advance to Indian Railway Companies. The sterling loan was raised in April 1905 at an average rate of £97 18s. 1d. and the entire Budget programme was adhered to. Apart from the above, there was a provision of £2,927.4 on account of the Debenture capital of the Bombay, Borada and Central India Railway. But the method of purchase had not been decided upon when the Budget was framed. Meanwhile the Company discharged £536.1 before the purchase, leaving £2,391.3 which represent the amount of the Debentures of the Company for which the Secretary of State incurred liability on the purchase. Subsequently the purchase of the undertaking was fixed at £11,685.6 composed of £2,000.0 by the creation of new 3 per cent. capital stock of the Company and the balance £9,685.6 by the creation of £10,089.1 India 3 per cent. stock issued to the company at the rate of £100 of such stock for every £95 of the purchase-money so satisfied.

98. The total Interest on debt paid in India and in England is shown below:—

## Debt in India on 31st March 1905—

1904-5. Accounts.	Rate.	Principal.	Interest due.	Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
₹		₹	₹	₹	₹	₹
4.50	$4\frac{1}{2}$	1,00.00	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
17.66	4	4,27.00	17.08	17.18	17.18	17.18
3,64.93	$3\frac{1}{2}$	1,05,65.35	3,69.79	3,76.37	3,70.38	3,73.50
33.00	3	11,07.11	33.21	33.21	33.21	33.16
44	4 Provincial Debentures	8.55	34	...	35	...
4,20.53	TOTAL	1,22,08.01	4,24.92	4,31.26	4,25.62	4,28.34
73	Interest on Loans in course of discharge . . . . .		24	85	54	
7.28	Discount on Loans and Miscellaneous . . . . .		7.50	10.53	10.73	
...	Interest on expired Tanjore Bonds, Madras . . . . .		...	6	6	
4,28.54	TOTAL INTEREST PAID IN INDIA IN RUPEES . . . . .		4,39.00	4,37.06	4,39.66	
£			£	£	£	£
2,857.0	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .		2,926.7	2,913.8	2,931.1	
4,423.9	England . . . . .		4,365.7	4,419.5	4,418.4	
7,280.9	TOTAL INCLUDING ENGLAND . . . . .		7,292.4	7,333.3	7,349.5	

## Section B.—INTEREST—continued.

## 13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt—concluded.

99. This total amount was divided between Interest on Ordinary Debt and Interest on Debt for Railways and Irrigation as shown below:—

1904-5. Accounts.	Interest on Ordinary Debt—	Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
₹		₹	₹	₹
—2,76,53	India in Rupee figures . . . . .	—3,04,82	—3,04,20	—3,04,29
—1,843,5	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .	—2,032,1	—2,028,0	—2,028,6
3,045,1	England . . . . .	2,927,9	2,983,3	2,983,4
1,201,6	TOTAL . . . . .	895,8	955,3	954,8
₹	Interest on Debt for Railways and Irrigation Works—	₹	₹	₹
7,05,07	India in Rupee figures . . . . .	7,43,82	7,41,26	7,43,95
4,700,5	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .	4,958,8	4,941,8	4,959,7
1,378,8	England . . . . .	1,437,8	1,436,2	1,435,0
6,079,3	TOTAL . . . . .	6,396,6	6,378,0	6,394,7

100. The total payment of interest in India was more than the Budget by 66 and the actuals of the previous year by 11,12. The excess, as compared with the Budget, was mainly composed of an excess of 3,22 under *Discount on Loans* and 30 under *Interest on Loans in course of discharge* and a saving of 2,87 under 3½ per cent. Loans. In view of the previous year's experience the Budget under *Discount on Loans* was framed with caution. It however proved too low. The actuals under *Interest on Loans in course of discharge* consist of 36 for interest on Provincial Debenture Loan, not provided for in the Budget, but foreseen in the Revised and included under 4 per cent. Provincial Debentures (35), and of 18 for interest on other expired loans. The Revised under this head includes 70 on account of interest on Temporary Loans which was paid in June 1906. The saving of 2,87 under interest on 3½ per cent. Loans was due to unclaimed interest. The actuals under the last head represent the amount of interest paid on certain expired Tanjore Bonds, the claims to which have been settled in Court.

101. The transfer of interest charge to Railway, Revenue and Irrigation Accounts closely followed the Budget. The excess of 66 (Imperial) in India requires to be sanctioned.

102. In England the excess was partly due to the non-provision for the discount on the issue of £3,000,0 India Stock (£47,5), and partly to a decrease of £13,3 in the amount estimated to be transferred from this head to "State Railways—Interest chargeable against companies on Advances" together with £2,7 for dividends which had remained unclaimed for ten years and upwards, counterbalanced to the extent of £7,7 by a transfer to "State Railways—Interest on Debt" in respect of interest on India Stock raised for the purchase of the Bengal Central Railway.

## 14.—Interest on other Obligations.

			India.	Central Pro- vinces.	Burma	E. B. and Assam.	Bengal.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	Mad- ras.	Bom- bay.	TOTAL.
On Special Loans	Accounts	1904-5	50	...	...	...	...	7,01	1	...	96	8,48
	Budget		52	...	...	...	...	7,05	1	...	1,01	8,59
	Revised		55	...	...	...	...	7,08	1	...	1,06	8,64
	Accounts	1905-6	49	...	...	...	...	7,00	1	...	1,04	8,54
Treasury Notes and Service Funds.	Accounts	1904-5	9,07	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	1,32	10,54
	Budget		9,27	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1,30	10,71
	Revised		9,26	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	1,34	10,75
	Accounts	1905-6	9,29	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1,35	10,78
Savings Bank Deposits	Accounts	1904-5	43,13	4	3	...	88	61	2,19	6	15	47,09
	Budget		46,05	5	3	...	95	68	2,39	6	16	50,37
	Revised		43,70	3	4	...	11	8	5	7	16	49,24
	Accounts	1905-6	47,66	3	4	1	11	9	4	8	16	48,21
Miscellaneous	Accounts	1904-5	31	...	1	...	16	...	3	3	14	69
	Budget		30	...	1	...	21	...	3	2	12	70
	Revised		35	...	1	3	11	...	3	10	12	75
	Accounts	1905-6	35	...	1	4	8	...	3	11	12	74
TOTAL IN RUPEES	Accounts	1904-5	53,02	4	4	...	1,04	7,61	2,23	24	2,57	66,80
	Budget		56,14	5	4	...	1,17	7,73	2,43	22	2,59	70,37
	Revised		53,86	3	5	3	22	7,10	9	32	2,68	69,38
	Accounts	1905-6	57,79	3	5	5	19	7,08	8	33	2,67	68,27

## Section B.—INTEREST—concluded.

## 14.—Interest on other Obligations—concluded.

TOTAL IN STERLING.			Total India, equivalent in Sterling.	England	Total, including England.
			£	£	£
TOTAL IN STERLING.	{	Accounts	1904-5 . . . . .	445.3	445.3
		Budget	1905-6 . . . . .	469.1	469.1
		Revised		462.5	462.5
		Accounts		455.1	455.1

103. The expenditure under this head showed a saving of 2.10 from the Budget and an excess of 1.47 over the actuals of the previous year. The saving, as compared with the Budget, occurred almost entirely under *Savings Bank Deposits*, and is chiefly composed of a decline of 1.09 in the interest on Post Office Savings Bank Deposits, owing to large withdrawals, chiefly on account of famine, and of 1.19 on deposits in the State Railway Provident Institutions, caused by the deposits being less than was anticipated. The saving in Bengal, United Provinces and the Punjab, was mainly due to the adjustment of the interest on deposits in the State Railway Provident Institutions in the Public Works Books. Under *Special Loans*, the saving in India (3), was chiefly on account of the 6 and 8 per cent. Perpetual Loans (Madras), while that in the United Provinces (5), was due to the non-payment of certain Wasika pensions. The increase in Bombay (3), was due to the arrear payment of interest on the Grant Medical College Endowment Funds (6), reduced by the non-payment of interest (3) due to the District Benevolent Society, which was not claimed during the year. Of the excess under *Treasury Notes and Service Funds*, 7 was contributed by India on account of the Bhonsla and other Nagpur Temples, and 5 by Bombay in consequence of the increase in the balance of the Bombay Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund. The excess under *Miscellaneous* occurred chiefly in Madras, and was due to a special payment (9) of interest at 6 per cent. on the excess of land revenue collections in previous years from the Maharaja of Jeypore. The excess as compared with the actuals of the previous year, was due generally to the normal growth of the funds. The excesses of 5 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam, 11 (Imperial) in Madras and 11 (Imperial) in Bombay have been sanctioned while those of 1.65 (Imperial) in India and 2 (Imperial) in Burma await sanction.

104. The usual details of the interest on Treasury Notes and Service Funds and Savings Bank deposits are noted below :—

*Interest on Treasury Notes and Service Funds.*

1904-5. Accounts.		Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
8.93	Bengal Uncovenanted Fund . . . . .	9.05	9.01	9.03
1.32	Bombay " " " " . . . . .	1.30	1.34	1.35
29	Other Funds . . . . .	36	40	40
10.54	TOTAL . . . . .	10.71	10.75	10.78

*Interest on Savings Bank Deposits.*

38.12	Post Office Savings Banks . . . . .	40.60	39.36	39.51
4.75	State Railway Provident Institutions . . . . .	5.16	5.15	3.97
2.29	Civil Engineers' Provident Fund . . . . .	2.40	2.49	2.48
1.02	Postal Insurance and Life Annuity Fund . . . . .	1.18	1.20	1.01
91	Other Accounts . . . . .	1.03	1.04	1.04
47.09	TOTAL . . . . .	50.37	49.24	48.21



Section C.  
POST OFFICE.

1904-5. Accounts.		Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
<b>RECEIPTS—</b>				
R 2,36,40	India (Rupee figures)	R 2,41,24	R 2,48,80	R 2,47,72
£ 1,576,0	Equivalent in Sterling	£ 1,608,3	£ 1,658,7	£ 1,651,5
<b>EXPENDITURE—</b>				
R 2,05,02	India (Rupee figures)	R 2,13,49	R 2,15,67	R 2,18,19
£ 1,366,8	Equivalent in Sterling	£ 1,423,3	£ 1,437,8	£ 1,454,6
153,0	England	120,2	120,4	121,3
1,519,8	TOTAL	1,543,5	1,558,2	1,575,9
<b>NET.</b>				
R +31,38	India (Rupee figures)	R +27,75	R +33,13	R +29,53
£ +209,2	Equivalent in Sterling	£ +185,0	£ +220,9	£ +196,9
—153,0	England	—120,2	—120,4	—121,3
+56,2	TOTAL	+64,8	+100,5	+75,6

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1904-5. Accounts.		Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts.
<b>RECEIPTS—</b>				
R 1,34,07	India (Rupee figures)	R 1,35,74	R 1,36,00	R 1,35,40
£ 893,8	Equivalent in Sterling	£ 904,9	£ 906,6	£ 902,6
4,1	England	4,2	7,1	7,2
897,9	TOTAL	909,1	913,7	909,8
<b>EXPENDITURE—</b>				
R 1,06,42	India (Rupee figures)	R 1,08,29	R 1,11,05	R 1,13,83
£ 709,5	Equivalent in Sterling	£ 721,9	£ 740,3	£ 758,9
192,8	England	312,5	327,9	317,6
902,3	TOTAL	1,034,4	1,068,2	1,076,5
<b>NET.</b>				
R +27,65	India (Rupee figures)	R +27,45	R +24,95	R +21,57
£ +184,3	Equivalent in Sterling	£ +183,0	£ +166,3	£ +143,7
—188,7	England	—308,3	—320,8	—310,4
—4,4	TOTAL	—125,3	—154,5	—166,7

## Section C—continued.

## MINT.

1904-5 Accounts.			Budget.	1905-6. Revised.	Accounts
R	RECEIPTS—		R	R	R
30,95	India (Rupee figures)	. . .	15,83	45,79	48,17
£			£	£	£
206,4	Equivalent in Sterling	. . .	105,5	305,3	321,2
R	EXPENDITURE—		R	R	R
15,53	India (Rupee figures)	. . .	12,94	16,18	16,30
£			£	£	£
103,5	Equivalent in Sterling	. . .	86,3	107,9	108,7
14,4	England	. . .	37,0	12,8	11,4
117,9	TOTAL	. . .	123,3	120,7	120,1
R	NET.		R	R	R
+15,42	India (Rupee figures)	. . .	+2,89	+29,61	+31,87
£			£	£	£
+102,9	Equivalent in Sterling	. . .	+19,2	+197,4	+212,5
-14,4	England	. . .	-37,0	-12,8	-11,4
+88,5	TOTAL	. . .	-17,8	+184,6	+201,1

105. Under *Post Office* the net receipts showed improvements of £10,8 or R1,62 over the Budget and of £19,4 or R2,91 over the actuals of the previous year. These improvements were mainly due to an unexpectedly large increase in the sale of Postage Stamps and to the growth in the operations of the Money Order Department, partly counterbalanced by increased expenditure chiefly under Salaries, Establishment, Supply and Services, Railway charges, Subsidy and Stationery and Printing, consequent on the expansion of the Department.

106. The net results of the transactions of the Postal Department for the last five years are shown by the following figures:—

	Net Receipts.
	R
1901-02 . . . . .	15,47
1902-03 . . . . .	12,47
1903-04 . . . . .	15,59
1904-05 . . . . .	8,43
1905-06 . . . . .	11,34

107. Under *Telegraph* the net receipts fell short of the Budget by £41,4 or R6,21 and of the actuals of the previous year by £162,3 or R24,35. The falling-off was due chiefly to a decrease under message revenue on the Indo-European Telegraphs, due chiefly to the reduction in the tariff rate from 1st August 1905, and to increased expenditure, due to large purchases of stores in England and locally, and to smaller issues of stores to works, to extra charges in connection with the Royal visit and to increased charges for signalling, stationery and printing and repairs to lines, partly counterbalanced by increased receipts in the Indian Telegraphs under message revenue and rents of wires and instruments leased to Railways and canals.

108. Under *Mint* the net receipts exceeded the Budget by £218,9 or R32,83 and the actuals of the previous year by £112,6 or R16,89. The improvement was chiefly due to the large credit on account of the percentage on value of rupee coinage charged to Gold Reserve Fund owing to heavy coinage, and to the circulation of a large number of copper coins, partly counterbalanced by excess expenditure caused by large receipts at the Bombay Mint of withdrawn and uncurrent coins.

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## XIII.—Post Office.

1904-5. Accounts. R		Budget. R	1905-6. Revised. R	Accounts. R
13.74	PARCEL AND OTHER POSTAGE COL- LECTED IN CASH . . . . .	14.00	14.00	13.83
	SALE OF POSTAGE STAMPS—			
1,52.97	Ordinary . . . . .	1,57.00	1,62.26	1,60.91
31.71	Service . . . . .	32.30	32.00	32.98
1,84.68		1,89.30	1,94.26	1,93.89
	Deduct—Payments to English, Colo- nial, and other Foreign Post Offices . . . . .	2.06	1.60	1.70
1,82.85		1,87.24	1,92.66	1,92.19
76	MAIL CART, PARCEL VAN, PASSENGER AND GOODS SERVICE . . . . .	20	40	34
36.81	MONEY ORDER RECEIPTS . . . . .	38.00	39.75	39.44
1.66	OTHER RECEIPTS . . . . .	1.42	1.69	1.59
2,35.83		2,40.66	2,48.50	2,47.39
	DISTRICT POST COLLECTIONS—			
15	Central Provinces . . . . .	15	11	13
...	E. B. and Assam . . . . .	...	1	1
13	Bengal . . . . .	13	7	8
10	Punjab . . . . .	10	9	9
21	N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	...	2	2
58		38	30	33
2,36.40	TOTAL INDIA (RUPY FIGURES) . . . . .	2,41.24	2,48.80	2,47.72
£		£	£	£
1,576.0	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING . . . . .	1,608.3	1,658.7	1,651.5

109. The receipts under this head exceeded the Budget and the actuals of the previous year by 6.48 and 11.32 respectively. The increase over the Budget occurred mainly under *Sale of Ordinary Postage Stamps* (3.91) and *Money Order Receipts* (1.44), owing to a larger increase in the sales of stamps and in issues of money orders than was anticipated. There were also small improvements under *Sale of Service Stamps* (68), *Mail Cart, Parcel Van, etc.*, (14), and *Other Receipts* (17), due to under-estimates. The deduction under *Payments to English, Colonial, etc., Post Offices* was smaller than anticipated by 36. The falling off under *Parcel and other Postage etc.*, (17) was due to over-estimate.

110. As compared with the previous year, the improvement was due to the general growth of the operations of the Department, and occurred chiefly under *Sale of Postage Stamps, Ordinary*, (3.94) and *Money Order Receipts* (2.63). There was also a noticeable improvement under *Sale of Service Postage Stamps* (1.27). Under *Mail Cart, etc.*, the decrease (42), was due to the reduction of traffic in the Simla Tonga Service, owing to the opening of the Simla-Kalka Railway. The transfer of the Tonga and Mail Cart Service to the Postal Department accounts for the decrease of 19 in the North-West Frontier Province under *District Post Collections*.

## 15.—Post Office.

1904-5. Accounts. R		Budget. R	1905-6. Revised. R	Accounts. R
8.22	CHIEF OFFICE, CALCUTTA . . . . .	8.33	8.22	8.80
1,23.87	PRESIDENCY AND DISTRICT OFFICES . . . . .	1,32.39	1,33.44	1,35.25
	CONVEYANCE OF MAILS—			
17.16	Road Establishment and Con- tingencies . . . . .	18.71	18.98	18.93
16.79	Railway Charges . . . . .	18.13	18.87	18.70
2.97	Mail Cart, Parcel Van, Passenger and Goods Service Establishment and Charges . . . . .	1.78	1.42	1.43
31	Other Charges . . . . .	38	37	33
37.92		39.00	39.64	39.39

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## 15.—Post Office—continued.

1904-5. Accounts. R		Budget. R	1905-06. Revised. R	Accounts. R
2,36	DISCOUNT ON SALE OF POSTAGE STAMPS . . . . .	2,57	2,63	2,51
10,55	SUBSIDIES . . . . .	11,18	11,30	11,25
8,57	STATIONERY AND PRINTING . . . . .	7,84	8,51	9,59
50	MISCELLANEOUS . . . . .	67	54	49
<u>1,91,30</u>		<u>2,01,98</u>	<u>2,04,88</u>	<u>2,07,28</u>
	DISTRICT POST CHARGES—			
68	India . . . . .	69	67	66
76	Central Provinces . . . . .	80	72	71
21	Berar . . . . .	23	21	19
3,11	Burma . . . . .	3,30	3,21	3,24
44	E. B. and Assam . . . . .	45	91	90
3,60	Bengal . . . . .	3,75	2,86	2,88
1,89	U. P. of Agra and Oudh . . . . .	1,91	1,90	1,90
1,57	Punjab . . . . .	13	13	13
43	N.-W. Frontier Province . . . . .	25	18	30
1,03	Bombay . . . . .	...	...	...
<u>13,72</u>		<u>11,51</u>	<u>10,79</u>	<u>10,91</u>
2,05,02	TOTAL INDIA (RUPEE FIGURES) . . . . .	2,13,49	2,15,67	2,18,19
£		£	£	£
1,366,8	EQUIVALENT STERLING . . . . .	1,423,3	1,437,8	1,454,6
153,0	ENGLAND . . . . .	120,2	120,4	121,3
<u>1,519,8</u>	TOTAL IN STERLING . . . . .	<u>1,543,5</u>	<u>1,558,2</u>	<u>1,575,9</u>

111. The Indian expenditure under this head exceeded the Budget and the actuals of the previous year by 4,70 and 13,17, respectively. As compared with the Budget the excess under *Chief Office, Calcutta* (47) occurred chiefly under Salaries (27), owing to acting arrangements in consequence of leave to officers and increased rate of salary drawn by the Comptroller, and under Establishments (20), in consequence of acting allowances and temporary establishments entertained. As compared with the actuals of the previous year, the increase was due partly to the same causes and partly to the revision of the salaries of Assistant Directors General and the creation of the appointment of a 4th Assistant Director General. The large increase over the Budget under *Presidency and District Offices* (2,86), occurred under Salaries (45), due to the appointment of an additional Postmaster General and to leave arrangements of officers; under Establishment (1,83) chiefly under postmasters, clerks, record clerks and postmen; under temporary and experimental Establishment (9), Services and Supplies (52), Country Stationery (10), liveries and uniforms (7), and lighting charges (6), partly counterbalanced by reduced expenditure on Construction and Repairs (8), clocks and watches (6), Rates and Taxes (11), hot and cold weather charges (5), and by the gain in the working of combined offices (43). The excess as compared with the actuals of the previous year was due chiefly to expansion of the Department, resulting in increased establishment (8,70), and partly to the causes stated above. Under *Conveyance of Mails*, the excess (39), was composed of the excess of 22 under *Road Establishment*, due to large payments under subsidy for conveyance of Mails, and extra and experimental runners, partly counterbalanced by savings under pay of overseers and runners, and of 57 under *Railway Charges*, due chiefly to large payments to the Assam-Bengal, Rajputana-Malwa and Bengal-Nagpur Railways and for special train hire, and of savings of 35 under *Mail Cart, Parcel Van, etc.*, due to reduction in Mail Cart Establishment, and of 5 under *Other Charges* in the Ferry and Boat Establishment and Bounty money. These causes generally account for the variations over the previous year. The excess over the Budget under *Subsidies* (7), was due chiefly to the payment to Mail Service Company between Aden and Berbera not provided for in the Budget, while the increase over the previous year was due to this cause, and to increased payments to the British Indian Steam Navigation Company (47), and payments to Steam Service in Bombay (15). Under *Stationery and Printing* the excess (1,75) was due chiefly to larger payments on account of stationery supplied from Central Stores, owing to under-estimates made by local officers. Under *Miscellaneous* the saving (18) occurred under compensation for lost articles and other charges.

112. Under *District Post Charges*, the saving in the Central Provinces (9) was due to less charges for village postmen and runners, and to the transfer of the Sambalpur District to Bengal. The saving in Burma (6) was due to the transfer to Postal Department of certain self-supporting post offices and

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## 15.—Post Office—concluded.

inspection charges of district posts, and to the non-utilization of the provision for Thabeitkyin—Mogoke Tonga Service (14), partly counterbalanced by increased payments for subsidies (20) for Arakan Mail Service and Kurdat and Homalin Service, not provided for in the Budget. In Bengal and in Eastern Bengal and Assam there was a decrease under Dak Establishment in the Eastern Bengal Districts. In the North-West Frontier Province the excess was due to the payment (12) of a subsidy for Dera Ismail Khan—Murtza Line, partly counterbalanced by a saving owing to contributions by District Boards, on account of District Dak charges, having been adjusted under 1—Land Revenue, instead of under this head as provided for. In Bombay the District charges were transferred to Post Office, Imperial. Out of the excesses of 5,30 (Imperial) in India and 13 (Imperial) in North-West Frontier Province, 3,00 and 9, respectively, were sanctioned and the remainder 2,30 and 4 require to be sanctioned. The excess of 45 (Provincial) in Eastern Bengal and Assam was met by re-appropriation sanctioned by Government of India, while that of 4 (Local) in Berar requires to be sanctioned.

113. In England the increase (£1,1) was due to increased demand for stores (7), and to allowances of Indian delegates to the Postal Congress at Rome, not provided for in the Estimate.

## XIV.—Telegraph.

1905-6. Accounts. £		Budget. £	1905-6. Revised. £	Accounts. £
<b>INDIAN TELEGRAPHS—</b>				
<i>Message Revenue—</i>				
45.79	Sale of Stamps, deducting Refunds, etc.	45.80	49.60	48.39
4.54	Receipts from other Administrations	4.20	4.80	4.50
38.14	Other Receipts by Cash, Postage, Stamps, and Book Transfer			
		40.20	38.90	38.98
86.47		90.20	93.30	91.77
<i>Other Revenue—</i>				
23.18	Rent of Wires and Instruments leased to Railways and Canals	23.00	24.10	24.13
2.48	Rent of Local and Private Lines	2.40	2.63	2.79
25	Royalty from Telephone Companies	25	27	33
20	Recoveries from Guarantors	20	17	17
48	Miscellaneous Revenue	45	53	97
26.59		26.30	27.70	28.38
1,15,06	<b>TOTAL INDIAN TELEGRAPHS</b>	1,16,50	1,21,00	1,20,15
19,01	<b>INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPHS</b>	19,24	15,00	15,25
1,34,07	<b>TOTAL INDIA</b>	1,35,74	1,36,00	1,35,40
£		£	£	£
893.8		904.9	906.6	902.6
4.1		4.2	7.1	7.2
897.9		909.1	913.7	909.8
	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>			

## Indian Telegraphs.

114. As compared with the Budget Estimate, there is an increase of 3,65, (which occurs principally under message revenue and rent of wires and instruments leased to railways and canals.

115. The increase of 3,09 as compared with the previous year falls mainly under the same heads, and is due in the case of message revenue principally to increased traffic owing to heavy speculation in the grain market and the visit to India of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales.

## Indo-European Telegraphs.

116. The receipts in India show a decrease of 3,99 as compared with the Budget Estimate, which occurs chiefly under message revenue and is due to the tariff rate between Europe and India having been reduced from 1st August 1905. The increase of £3,0 in England compared with the Budget is due to the Department having been credited with its share of the Joint-Purse Guarantee (£3,1) during the year.

117. The decrease of 3,76 in the receipts in India as compared with the previous year is due to a falling off in the transit message receipts from the Indian Telegraph Department on account of the reduction made in the tariff rate and to interruption on the Teheran route in January 1906.

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## 16.—Telegraph.

## Indian Telegraphs.

## Capital Account.

1904-5. Accounts. ₹		Budget. ₹	1905-6. Revised. ₹	Accounts. ₹
15,34	India . . . . .	12,00	15,83	16,45
₹		₹	₹	₹
102,3	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .	80,0	105,5	109,6
148,4	England . . . . .	233,0	260,0	252,2

## Revenue Account.

₹		₹	₹	₹
80,61	India . . . . .	82,30	86,22	88,44
₹		₹	₹	₹
537,4	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .	548,7	574,8	589,7
4,6	England . . . . .	5,0	4,4	4,3
792,7	TOTAL INDIAN TELEGRAPHS . . . . .	866,7	944,7	955,8

## Indo-European Telegraphs.

₹		₹	₹	₹
10,47	India . . . . .	13,99	9,00	8,94
₹		₹	₹	₹
69,8	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .	93,2	60,0	59,6
21,8	England . . . . .	56,5	28,0	25,5

## Red Sea and Indian Telegraph Company.

18,0	England . . . . .	18,0	18,0	18,0
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## Joint-Purse Guarantee.

...	England . . . . .	...	17,5	17,6
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TOTAL INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPHS, RED SEA  
AND INDIAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, AND JOINT-  
PURSE GUARANTEE . . . . .

109,6		167,7	123,5	120,7
₹		₹	₹	₹
1,06,42	TOTAL INDIA . . . . .	1,08,29	1,11,05	1,13,83
₹		₹	₹	₹
709,5	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .	721,9	740,3	758,9
192,8	England . . . . .	312,5	327,9	317,6
902,3	GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	1,034,4	1,068,2	1,076,5

## Indian Telegraphs.

118. The excess outlay of £89,1 as compared with the Budget Estimate occurs under Capital expenditure in India (£29,6) and in England (£19,2), and Revenue expenditure in India (£41,0). The excess under Capital is due to larger purchases of stores in England and locally and to smaller issues of stores to works, and to increased outlay on Apparatus and Plant, owing to the opening of and additions to signal offices in connection with the Royal visit; and that under Revenue to increased outlay under general charges, signalling, stationery and printing charges and to extra expenditure being found necessary on account of repairs to lines.

119. As compared with the previous year, the total expenditure shows an increase of £163,1 and occurs both under Capital (£111,1) and Revenue (£52,0); due in the case of capital to the causes explained above, and in the case of Revenue to larger signalling and clerical establishments being found necessary, owing to the expansion of the department, and to increased outlay on stationery and printing and gazetted establishments.



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## 16.—Telegraph—concluded.

## Indo-European Telegraphs.

120. The lapse of £47,0 as compared with the Budget Estimate was chiefly due, under Capital to short outlay on the Central Persian line and to the reconstruction of the line from Teheran to Ardistan having been abandoned, and, under Revenue to savings on signalling and cable maintenance, to a reduction of rates between England and India, and to smaller message out-payments in England. As compared with the previous year, there was an increase of £11,1, due chiefly to the payment in England of the Joint Purse Guarantee for the first time. The excess of 5,54 (Imperial) in India was sanctioned.

## XV.—Mint.

1904-5, Accounts. ₹		Budget. ₹	1905-6, Revised, ₹	Accounts. ₹
5,35	Fee for coining Silver . . . . .	...	9	12
1	Assay fees . . . . .	1	1	1
1,23	Gain on Coinage Operations . . . . .	35	1,07	1,37
7,99	Gain on Copper Coinage . . . . .	5,00	6,50	9,85
Other Receipts—				
4,55	Calcutta . . . . .	3,73	14,00	13,38
11,82	Bombay . . . . .	6,74	24,12	23,44
30,95	TOTAL INDIA (RUPEE FIGURES) . . . . .	15,83	45,79	48,17
₹		₹	₹	₹
106,4	EQUIVALENT IN STERLING . . . . .	105,5	305,3	321,2

121. The total receipts under the head exceeded the Budget and the actuals of the previous year by 32,34 and 17,22, respectively. The improvement, as compared with the Budget, occurred under all the heads but chiefly under *Other Receipts*, and was due to the large credit on account of the percentage on value of rupee coinage charged to Gold Reserve Fund, owing to heavy coinage. The improvement over the previous year was also mainly due to this cause. The actuals under *Fees for coining silver* represent fees on account of the coinage of Straits dollars, a small balance having remained unrecovered at the close of 1904-5 which, though not anticipated in the Budget, was foreseen in the Revised. The increase under *Gain on Coinage Operations* was the result of a large rupee coinage in Bombay and of the coinage of cut and broken coins in Calcutta, while the improvement under *Gain on Copper Coinage* was due to a larger number of coins having passed into circulation than was estimated.

## 17.—Mint.

1904-5, Accounts. ₹		Budget. ₹	1905-6, Revised, ₹	Accounts. ₹
ESTABLISHMENTS—				
3,39	Calcutta . . . . .	3,36	3,59	3,62
3,00	Bombay . . . . .	2,87	3,28	3,30
LOSS ON COINAGE—				
4,25	Calcutta . . . . .	3,68	3,69	3,47
3,19	Bombay . . . . .	1,50	4,05	4,36
OTHER CHARGES—				
79	Calcutta . . . . .	68	70	84
91	Bombay . . . . .	85	87	71
8,43	TOTAL CALCUTTA . . . . .	7,72	7,98	7,93
7,10	" BOMBAY . . . . .	5,22	8,20	8,37
15,53	" INDIA (RUPEE FIGURES) . . . . .	12,94	16,18	16,30
₹		₹	₹	₹
103,5	Equivalent in Sterling . . . . .	86,3	1,07,9	1,08,7
14,4	England . . . . .	37,0	12,8	11,4
117,9	TOTAL IN STERLING . . . . .	123,3	120,7	120,1

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## 17.—Mint—concluded.

122. The expenditure in India was more than the Budget by 3,36 and the actuals of the previous year by 77. The excess, as compared with the Budget, was chiefly contributed by Bombay under *Loss on Coinage* (2,86), and was caused by the large receipts at the Bombay Mint of withdrawn and uncurrent coins. The increase under *Establishment* in Calcutta (26) was due to the entertainment of additional extra establishment and increased contingent expenses in consequence of heavy coinage operations, and that in Bombay to increased payment of salaries and overtime allowances owing to a large coinage. The saving under *Loss on Coinage* in Calcutta was chiefly due to the loss on recoinage old coins being less (62) than was estimated, partly counterbalanced by heavy loss of weight in coining silver (23) and increased cost of copper alloy (25). The excess under *Other Charges* in Calcutta (16) was due to large purchase of country coal, oil, etc., necessitated by heavy coinage operations, while the saving in Bombay was due to the late arrival of coal and coke, the charges for which were paid off in 1906-7. The total excess (77) as compared with the actuals of the previous year was composed of a decrease of 50 in Calcutta due to short recoinage of old coins, reduced by an increase in the coinage from purchased silver, and an excess of 1,27 in Bombay, due mainly to the large remittances of withdrawn and uncurrent coins received at the mint. The excess over the budget in India was covered by grants sanctioned by the Government of India, while out of the excess in Bombay, 1,73 was sanctioned and the remainder 1,42 awaits sanction.

123. The saving in England (£25,6) as compared with the Budget was mainly due to the absence of expenditure for electrical installation at the Calcutta Mint, provided for in the Budget, partly counterbalanced by a small excess mainly due to allowances to officers deputed to inspect machinery used for coinage.